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He gets to the end of his rope. Then he does something desperately funny.
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Suggested by Thomas movie poem. A story of devotion a separation caused by woman's perfidy, and the final reunion.

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with Christmas Season but a few weeks off, and each day busier than the one before, we urge you to place your order as soon as possible.

The Selection of SUIT and OVERCOAT FABRICS was never larger and the prices were never more attractive

J. D. LIPPY,
TAILOR.

Announcement Extraordinary

Our Soda Fountain will be open all winter.
My previous reputation, for dispensing soda in a clean, sanitary and tasty manner, I hope is yet remembered by soda drinkers.

My personal attention will be given constantly in the business assuring you what you want served in the style you want.

From now on we will give on fountain purchases five votes for one in the Piano contest, making a five cent purchase twenty-five and a ten cent purchase fifty votes.

We solicit a call from you.

J. H. Huber, Druggist,
at Huber's Drug Store.

Clearance Sale

—This week of—

Ladies' Shoes

\$2.25 gun metal, patent leather, lace or button at \$1.39

THOMAS BROTHERS, Biglerville.

DEATH KNELL OF THE LINCOLN WAY

Approve Design for Large Rectangular Memorial to Cost a Million and Three Quarters. Expect Congress to Approve.

The death knell of the Lincoln Way was sounded at Washington on Wednesday when, after fifteen unsuccessful meetings the Lincoln memorial commission decided to approve the design for a monument to the martyred president submitted by Henry Bacon, a New York architect. President Taft, chairman of the commission, presided, and Speaker Clark Representative Cannon, Senators Cullom, Wetmore and Martin, were present.

The president will send to congress a special message transmitting the report of the memorial commission and recommending the accepted design. It will receive the support of the commission and it is believed will be accepted by congress.

The design they approved is for a rectangular marble structure in Potomac park, 156 feet long and 84 feet wide, surrounded on two sides by Doric columns 44 feet high and 27 inches in diameter. In a central hall within the structure will stand a heroic figure of Abraham Lincoln surrounded by Ionic columns 50 feet in height.

On one of the walls of this central hall on a bronze tablet will be Lincoln's Gettysburg address and on the opposite wall his second inaugural address. The statue will be on the same axis as the capital and the Grant and Washington monuments.

According to Mr. Bacon's plan the memorial will cost about \$1,775,000 and the remainder of the \$2,000,000 authorized by congress will be used in improvements of the site and in architect's fees. Congress appropriated \$50,000 for the work preliminary to the selection of a design and \$28,000 has been expended to date.

LUDWIGS BETTER

Letter from Mr. Ludwig Tells of Improvement.

Many Gettysburg people, hearing of the illness of Rev. S. R. Ludwig and several members of his family, and learning of the death of their youngest daughter have written to the former United Brethren minister at this place for more news. Mr. Ludwig answers them in the following letter to The Times:

"Our baby was called from us November 28 at 12.20 p. m. She was taken sick with membranous croup which soon did its work. A physician was present nearly all the time and did all that could be done. Three of our children and myself have been afflicted with ulcerative tonsillitis. Mine proved to be the most stubborn to remove. Am able to sit up part of the day but am yet weak and nervous and throat still needing attention. The quarantine has been lifted and we are allowed our former freedom. Thanks to all for letters of love and sympathy."

JOHN A. GROVE

Native of East Berlin Dies in Indiana. Aged 80.

John A. Grove died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. J. Mowery, in Bluffton, Indiana, Tuesday, November 26. He was aged 80 years.

Mr. Grove was born in East Berlin March 24, 1832. He learned the trade of a marble cutter in young manhood, and worked at a number of points in Pennsylvania. He was twice married. His first wife died before he went to Indiana and he was married a second time at Chambersburg, his bride being Miss Henrietta Reineman.

PERSONALS

William Duncan, of Eureka Springs, is visiting relatives in town.

Judge Swope is attending the funeral of a friend in McConnellsburg today.

Hon. and Mrs. W. A. Martin are spending several days in Philadelphia.

Elsie Singmaster has a story in the December Harper's entitled "The Cure that Failed."

Miss Caroline Bream is visiting in Hanover where she will give several readings at a church entertainment.

HUNT PLACE FOR LARGE MEETING

Gettysburg Has Chance to Secure Selection as Permanent Site for Large Religious Gathering. Lost out This Year.

Gettysburg has a chance to secure the permanent site for the eastern meetings of the Church of the Brethren, according to local members of the church who are interested in the operations of that body. It will be recalled that Gettysburg put up a strong fight for the meetings last year and that York finally won out. Now they are looking for a permanent place in the East. Lake Winona is the site in the Middle West while no town has been selected for the Far West.

Elders Abernathy, Oakland, Md.; Leatherman, Oldfields, W. Va.; Barnhart, Hagerstown; Miller, Roanoke, Va.; Thomas, Harrisonburg, Va.; Taylor, Lancaster, Brumbaugh, Huntingdon, Bonsack, New Windsor, Md.; and Howe, Johnstown, composing a committee of the Church of the Brethren to locate a permanent place for holding the annual meeting when it occurs east of the Ohio river, held a meeting in Hagerstown this week.

The members of the committee went to Pen Mar in the morning to look at the park. They returned and took in Hagerstown as to the advisability of selecting it for the big meeting. In the afternoon they left for Hershey, Pa., to look at a park there. After inspecting the Hershey site they went to Mountain Lake Park.

There are eight places which the committee has in view, extending as far south as Ashville, N. C.

While this committee is at work Gettysburg should make its application if the big event is desired and it is expected that some action will be taken on the part of local business men.

VIRGINIA MILLS

Virginia Mills—The following spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Kepner, Mrs. Mary Stoops, Mrs. Reuben Kepner, Mrs. John Lightner and children, Merle and Helen, Mrs. John Sharrar and daughter, Alice, Mrs. Maurice Lightner and children, Madeline and Ruth, and Clara Lauver.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kepner and daughter, Ruth, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Peters and family on Sunday.

Miss Viola Daywalt and brother, Clarence, of Fayetteville, visited a few days with their sister, Mrs. Maurice Lightner.

Mrs. Harry Kump and two children, of Mt. Pleasant, spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sites.

Samuel Beck, of Mt. Carmel, spent a few days recently at the home of Mrs. Virginia Daywalt.

Hiram Shindeldecker, of near Gettysburg, visited relatives at this place on Sunday.

J. S. Currans is improving his residence with a new porch. Clarence Mickle, of Orrtanna, is doing the work.

John Kauffman, of Fayetteville R. D. 2, spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Charles Nintle.

Misses Sarah, Florence and Ruth Kepner visited at Fairfield Station on Tuesday.

Mrs. Oliver Lightner, and daughter, Tressie, Mrs. John Kump and daughter, Thelma, and Elda Currans, spent Saturday in Fairfield.

RECEPTION

Presbyterian Church to be Scene of Men's Reception.

A reception for the men of the congregation and many invited guests will be held in the Social Rooms of the Presbyterian Church at 7.30 this evening. A brief program consisting of music and declamations will be rendered, followed by a popular discussion of topics of local interest. Refreshments will be served.

FOR SALE cheap: Oliver typewriter, good as new. Can be seen at Buehl's green grocery, Carlisle St. C. W. Leese, Gettysburg.—advertisement.1

LOOK for special vote sale in other part of this paper. People's Drug Store.—advertisement.

WILL HOLD MANY SALES IN SPRING

Adams County Farmers Announce Dates for their Spring Sales. Many have Chosen Time to Dispose of Stock and Implements.

The spring sale season of 1913 promises to be fully up to those of past years and several hundred sales will be held during the months of February and March. The farmers have been prompt this fall in selecting dates and a list is given below of those who have announced the time which they have chosen to dispose of their stock and implements. This list will be added to from time to time and kept on file in The Times office where it may be consulted. Those wishing to choose dates may call us by telephone when we will be glad to give any information which we have at hand.

FEBRUARY

- 8—E. C. Plank, Cumberland twp.
- 13—Allen Fisel, Mt. Joy township.
- 14—Ervin Reynolds, Straban twp.
- 15—D. C. Shanebrook, Mt. Pleasant
- 17—Mervin Shealer, Straban twp.
- 18—J. W. Harman, Mt. Pleasant.
- 18—C. M. Reynolds, Hamilton.
- 19—A. W. Hartlaub, Butler.
- 20—Mrs. W. D. Stock, Mt. Pleasant.
- 21—David Swartz, Mt. Joy.
- 22—D. F. Swartz, Mt. Joy.
- 22—I. M. Reynolds, near Abbottstown
- 24—J. W. Taughinbaugh, Straban.
- 25—John H. Markie, Mt. Pleasant.
- 25—J. W. Maring, Cumberland.
- 25—Lawyer Brothers, Union.
- 26—M. A. Miller, Mt. Joy.
- 27—H. B. Jacobs, East Berlin.
- 27—Joseph Sheely, Mt. Pleasant.
- 28—John M. Miller, Mt. Joy.

MARCH

- 1—W. C. Carl, Mt. Pleasant.
- 1—J. C. Knox, Highland.
- 3—William Arendt, Mt. Joy.
- 4—W. S. Rittase, Mt. Pleasant.
- 4—W. H. Dennis, Tyrone.
- 5—George L. Plank, Franklin.
- 5—Mrs. Wm. Allison, Butler.
- 5—Russel Nunemaker, Mt. Joy.
- 5—C. R. Deardorff, Reading.
- 5—F. S. Coulson, Latimore.
- 6—Curtis Ruth, Hamilton.
- 6—John Bream, Tyrone.
- 6—N. E. Orndorff, Bonneauville.
- 6—John E. Diehl, Franklin.
- 7—John Tate, Tyrone.
- 8—Roy Walker, Mt. Joy.
- 8—C. C. Miller, Butler.
- 8—C. R. Strayer, Latimore.
- 10—George Kindig, Union.
- 10—David Yingling, Cumberland.
- 10—J. Harman Bream, Franklin.
- 11—J. A. Harman, Mt. Pleasant.
- 11—John Albert, Huntingdon.
- 12—E. E. Freed, Straban.
- 12—Thad. Hess, Butler.
- 13—W. E. Golden, Butler.
- 13—Rupp and Eisenhart, Tyrone.
- 13—George H. Criswell, Reading.
- 14—E. H. Benner, Mt. Joy.
- 14—William Peters, Tyrone.
- 14—Albert A. Miller, Huntingdon.
- 15—Charles Yeagy, Huntingdon.
- 15—Ambrose Wehler, Reading.
- 15—Samuel L. Wisler, Highland.
- 15—C. E. Pitzer, Mt. Pleasant.
- 17—Edward K. Baughman, Germany.
- 17—William Cline, Franklin.
- 18—Walter Beamer, Mt. Pleasant.
- 18—James Fohl, Menallen.
- 18—Byron Nicky, Reading.
- 18—Susan Shellenberger, Latimore.
- 19—J. H. Hoover, New Oxford.
- 19—Ira Bream, Tyrone.
- 20—William F. Lady, Franklin.
- 20—William Breighner, Butler.
- 20—Charles Shultz, Reading.
- 20—Albert Fickel, Huntingdon.
- 21—William Day, Huntingdon.
- 21—Mrs. Jos. Harman, Mt. Pleasant.
- 22—Frank Spangler, Tyrone.
- 22—John Wolf, Straban.
- 24—Lewis Bushey, Biglerville.
- 25—Charles Millhimes, Straban.
- 26—Wm. S. Shearer, Mt. Pleasant.
- 27—W. H. Bringham, Straban.
- 28—R. S. Sponseller, Straban.

Later we will publish daily the complete list.

ANOTHER CUP

M. K. Eckert Gives Cup for Poultry Show.

M. K. Eckert has donated to the Adams County poultry show to be held at Biglerville in January a \$20 cup to be awarded for the best pen of R. C. Brown Leghorns.

LOST: between Raymond's restaurant and 217 Chambersburg street, gingham apron containing \$3.10 tied in corner. Finder please return to Raymond's.—advertisement.

SICKLES AND WIFE MAKE UP

Estranged Couple Said to have become Reconciled after General Sent for Wife to Come to his Home.

It is reported that General Sickles and his wife have made up. Friends of the 87-year-old veteran declare that a reconciliation has been effected, and that the General's war mementoes and priceless works of art will not have to be sacrificed under Sheriff Harburger's hammer to satisfy a \$5,000 obligation which General Sickles owes the Bank of the Metropolis.

Sheriff Harburger professes to be puzzled, and says he hasn't heard of a reconciliation. Nevertheless, he has adjourned the sale until December 12.

General Sickles will not admit that his wife intends to pay \$3,500 of his \$5,000 debt, but a close personal friend of the General is authority for the statement that a reconciliation has been effected and that a sale is not necessary.

"On Monday night," said this friend, "Mrs. Sickles, with her son, Stanton, called on General Sickles at the General's request. When she stepped into the hall, there was the General, balancing himself on his crutches. He cried: 'Caroline! O, Caroline!' embraced her and kissed her on both cheeks.

"She told him she was prepared to shield him from every trouble due to his tangled business affairs."

YORK SPRINGS

York Springs—A deal in real estate was consummated here on Monday when Dr. H. A. Underwood purchased the field of I. W. Pearson which faces on the State and Ridge roads adjoining town. The tract contains about three acres.

If Mrs. Phoebe Shelly, of near town, had entered her flock of chickens in an egg laying contest for the month of November she would certainly have won the prize. Mrs. Shelly has a flock of 135 hens that laid 120 dozen of eggs during the past month and which netted her \$41.

Ellsworth Gibb and Frank Sheaffer, of Barnitz, were the guests of Robert H. Gibb a couple of days last week.

Miss Zula Myers, of Lancaster, and Mr. and Mrs. Skalin, of Lincoln, Neb., are the guests of their mother, Mrs. Barbara Myers.

Miss Maud Wierman spent last week with friends in York.

Mrs. Adam Bubb, of Hamilton township, while attending to her household duties one day recently, fell and fractured a rib.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pfeffer, Mrs. Fred Pfeffer and Mrs. John Homan, of Gettysburg, were the guests of J. T. Myers on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gil P. Emmert and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hardman autoed to Harrisburg on Thanksgiving Day.

On Saturday morning the pavements in town were icy and this caused Miss Bertie Bushey to fall in front of the residence of P. H. Myers and tear the ligaments of her right arm. Miss Bushey was taken to the office of Dr. C. W. Cashman where her injured arm was given the necessary attendance.

KING GETS BLAME

Jury Also Criticises Train Register at Highfield.

The jury of inquest that has been probing the head-on freight wreck that occurred a week ago on the Western Maryland Railway at Blue Mountain, in which Fireman J. D. Burbage and Conductor Otis L. Hendrickson were killed, brought in a verdict Wednesday laying the blame for the wreck on Isaac King, conductor on the westbound train, who failed to read aright the register at Highfield. The register showed that King should have remained at Highfield with his train until the eastbound freight, which received orders at Chewsville, had passed. The jury further found that King "is a man of the best habits, temperate, conscientious and one of the most trusted men on the Maryland division." The jury condemned the manner in which the train register at Highfield was kept.

LOST: on Wednesday, gold locket containing initials, M. E. E. Return to Times office.—advertisement.

NO TRESPASSING

All persons are warned not to trespass on the premises of the undersigned with dog, gun or trap for the purpose of taking game in any manner; nor for fishing; or in any way injuring or destroying property. All persons violating the laws of the Commonwealth with regard to trespassing on lands of the undersigned will be dealt with under the provisions of the act of April 14, 1905.

Baily Farm, Route 12, Gettysburg, Walter C. Snyder.
J. W. Cook, Flora Dale, Pa.
John McCleaf (Daniel Fry Farm) Liberty township.
Robert K. Major, Straban township.
Mrs. M. L. Codori, Cumberland township.
The Heirs of Mrs. George Essick, Butler township.
The Misses Brame, R. D. Biglerville.
Mrs. Mary J. Weikert, Round Top, R. 2, Gettysburg.
Frank and John Garretson, Menallen township.
Eli P. Garretson, Butler township.
William Coshun, R. 9, Gettysburg, Straban township.
N. J. Shank, Route 3, Biglerville.
D. J. Riele, Route 12, Gettysburg, Cumberland Twp.
John D. Riley, Route 12, Gettysburg, Cumberland Twp.
Levi Crum, R. 2, Biglerville, Pa.
Gettysburg Poultry Farm, (F. B. Twisden,) R. 2, Gettysburg, Pa.
W. H. Johns, Cumberland township.
Charles M. Schwartz, Mt. Joy township.
C. B. Shank, Route 7, Gettysburg.
Melvin O. Deardorff, R. 1, Biglerville, Butler Township.
H. W. Lightner & Bro., Hamiltonban Township.
John S. Snyder, R. 10, Gettysburg, Pa.
C. R. Snyder, R. 10, Gettysburg, Pa.
Jonas Wolf (A. S. Mill's farm) Mt. Pleasant twp., G'g, R. 8.
Mrs. J. E. Hughes, Cumberland township.
D. B. Wineman, Cumberland township, R. 12, Gettysburg.
Martin Winter, Cumberland township and Gettysburg.
Rufus Lawver, Butler township.
J. Edward Lawver, R. 2, Biglerville.
H. M. Sneeringer, near Bonneauville.
Deardorff Bros, Franklin township.
Harry E. Shriver, Butler township, R. 6, Gettysburg.
J. C. Coulson, Butler township, R. 6, Gettysburg.
E. J. Strausbaugh, Hamiltonban township.
Henry H. Hart, Butler township, R. 6, Gettysburg.
Allen S. Redding, (Robert Bream Farm) Cumberland twp.
Elias Wolford, Mt. Pleasant Twp.
C. E. Tawney, Mt. Pleasant Twp.
W. J. Beamer, Mt. Pleasant and Straban Twp.
Edward A. Scott, Freedom Twp. R. 4, Gettysburg.
W. S. Spangler, route 4, Gettysburg.
Frank L. Mumper, route 1, Gettysburg.
Jacob Hoke, (Daniel Snyder Farm) Straban township.
D. L. Jacobs, Butler township.
John V. Eiker, Cumberland township.
J. E. Jacobs (E. S. Kelly Farm) Cumberland township.
W. G. Durboraw, Cumberland township.
R. C. Witherow, Cumberland township.
J. I. Hereter, route 4, Gettysburg.
Geo. W. Wolf, Cumberland township, route 3, Gettysburg.
L. A. Sheets, Table Rock, Pa.
Chas. Wagaman, (Dr. W. H. O'Neal Farm) Hamiltonban twp.
G. A. Herring, route 1, Orrtanna.
F. L. Kime, Butler Township.
George W. Elden, Menallen twp.
J. B. Hollebaugh, route 6, Butler twp.
Paul S. Reaver, Freedom township.
C. S. Griests Sons, Butler township.
W. W. Scott, route 3, Gettysburg, Freedom township.
W. W. Miller, route 9, Gettysburg, Pa.
H. D. Sanders, (Mizell Farm) route 7, Gettysburg.
Mrs. John Allison, Butler township.
John C. Study (W. J. Swope Farm) Mt. Pleasant township.
Harry C. Fitzer, route 2, Gettysburg, Menallen township.
J. C. Walter, Butler township.
Amos Zepp, (Samuel Vaughn Farm) Cumberland township.
George G. Griffin, route 9, Gettysburg.
Samuel Robinson, route 1 Gettysburg, Cumberland township.
J. H. Kuhn, Gettysburg route 2, Mt. Joy township.
J. L. Toot, Gettysburg route 8, Straban township.
J. E. Shindledecker, (on S. G. Bigham's farm) Freedom twp.
C. H. Rummel (C. L. Osborn farm) Menallen township.
Allen I. Osborn, Butler township.
B. Deatrick, Hunterstown, Straban township.
Cecil E. Gulden, route 1, Fairfield.
John D. Moose, Butler township Biglerville, route 3.
W. F. Herbst, Orrtanna.
O. A. Logan, Gettysburg route 12, Straban township.
Albert Hollinger, Cumberland township.
Jos. B. Twining, Straban and Cumberland townships.
Mr. Rufus Diehl (David Minter Farm) Franklin township.
James M. Boyd, (J. L. Butt, Farm) R. 1, Orrtanna, Pa.
Edward L. Bowers, (G. W. Bowers Farm) route 1, Biglerville.
Robert H. Shull, (J. A. Shull Farm) Franklin township.
H. C. Hartzell, (J. A. Shull Farm) Franklin township.
John H. Sponseller, Route 4, Gettysburg.
Additional names 50 cents for entire season.

HATS FOR THE YOUNGSTERS

Season's Models Show That the Designers Have by No Means Forgotten the Younger Element.

The kiddies are not forgotten in the making up of materials for their headwear. There is a cotton seal plush in white and colors suitable for children's hoods and capes, as well as for brims of ladies' hats, for the entire hat or for turban effects.

Velvet manufacturers say that great quantities of black velvet have been sold, not only for the making of pressed velvet hats, but for trimming, and also for drapery effects.

Of course, ribbons will be utilized to no little extent.

Satin and moires are again to the fore, says the Millinery Trade Review. The latter will be the favorite of the two materials. All these materials, especially in piece goods, are represented in the manufactured hats, in plain shapes, tailored hats, pattern hats and trimmed hats.

Moire used as facing and trimmings will be featured widely for early fall. Moire ribbon, both narrow and wide, is shown, from which is developed many new and interesting high ribbon cockades.

An imported model shows the use of mustard colored moire ribbon, forming a stunning high plaited fancy with a base of the shirred moire ribbon. Another clever use of this ribbon, about two inches wide, is noted, forming a succession of flat bows, which are placed in a high standard of velvet of the same shade as the ribbon, making a simple but effective trimming.

BEST TO KEEP IN SEASON

Headgear Not Suitable to Weather Does Not Look Suitable and Is Not Healthy.

All the shops have for some time shown felts, beavers, velours and suchlike wintry hats, though none too early for our winter's choice. But many women are foolish enough to wear their new purchases immediately.

Soon there will be no season as far as clothes are concerned, for already we wear felts in early September and straws in March. It is an absurd practice, and one which should not be continued if only from the health point of view. In the warm days of autumn, felt hats, however light, are bad for the hair, and the transparent straws when worn in the keen winds of early spring are often the primary causes of neuralgic headache. A woman should—weather of course permitting in normal seasons—be content to wear her pretty straw millinery until the last of September at least, and her felts until the end of March. Still, as long as the shops show the new hats it goes without saying that numbers of women will buy them and wear them without delay. In our long winters there is ample time for fascinating velours, or clipped beaver, that has helped to tempt us into prematurely early autumn headwear this season.—Boston Herald.

PRETTY DANCING GOWN.



Copyright by Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.

Of pink Charmeuse with a tulle of pink tulle to match. The high cut on the shoulder and low front is this season's attractive style for low neck.

To Make Fur Bands.

When you desire to cut fur in narrow bands place it hair side downward upon a marble slab and measure off the desired width.

Mark with a pencil and cut with a sharp knife, following the pencil mark indicated. Care must be taken not to mutilate the fur.

If you desire to join the bands, neatly overcast them with linen thread on the skin side.

Red Is Worn.

Deep red shades are coming more to the front than was anticipated earlier in the season.



Christmas Shopping Made Easy

We believe that we have just what you want. You can't get anything that would be more acceptable than a nice piece of

FURNITURE

Your attention is called to the many styles of Rockers from \$1.00 up.

We can only mention a few of the many articles that would make a fine gift.

Desks
Library Tables
China Closets
Bookcases
Dressers
Brass Beds
Chiffoniers
Mattresses
Kitchen Cabinets
Screens

Parlor Tables
Card Tables
Medicine Cabinets
Music Cabinets
Dining Chairs
Dining Tables
Revolving Chairs
Morris Chairs

Parlor Suits
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We will gladly have your picture ready for CHRISTMAS Day if you arrange for a sitting.

A large number of the best "Thompson" water colors is among our holiday goods and a hundred different styles of picture frames.

We also invite your inspection of a large line of Christmas cards.

W. H. TIPTON.

CHAMBERSBURG STREET

PUBLIC SALE

Of Valuable Real Estate at Biglerville, Pa.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1912.
The undersigned will offer at public sale on the premises, south Main street, Biglerville, the following described real estate:

A seven-room brick dwelling house and outbuildings. This property is practically new. It has a good slate roof, concrete pavement the length of the lot and a well of good water in the yard. It is one of the most desirable small dwellings in the town.

Terms and conditions will be made known by the undersigned on the day of date above mentioned. Sale to begin at 2 o'clock, P. M.

AMANDA ROTH.

Effective October 27.

THE WESTERN MARYLAND RAILWAY

8:41 A. M. Daily Except Sunday for Baltimore, Hanover, York and Intermediate Points.
10:08 A. M. Daily for Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Elkins and Points West.

1:00 P. M. for York & Intermediate points.
3:20 P. M. Daily, for Baltimore, Hanover, York, and Intermediate Points.

5:48 P. M. daily Except Sunday for B. and H. Division Points to Highfield, also Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Shippensburg and Hancock, Pittsburg and all points west.

Sunday Only

5:40 P. M., for New Oxford, Hanover, York, Baltimore and intermediate stations.



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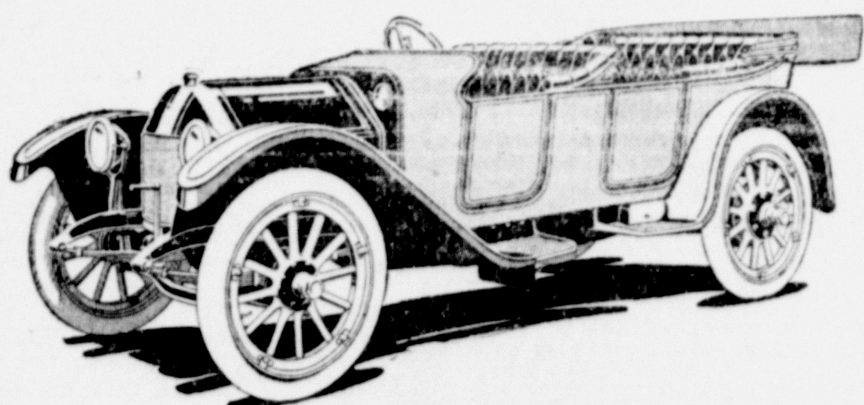
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Expense May Be Very Measurably Decreased by Care and Attention, as Needs of Growing Family Must Be Satisfied.

A bride in modest circumstances will find four tablecloths an ample supply at the start. A good plan is to add one tablecloth and one-half or one whole dozen of napkins (according to the number in the family) each year. In this way the supply of table linen is kept up. When the family is small the tablecloth measuring two yards square is correct. The two and one-half yards by two yards cloth is sufficiently large for a table seating six to eight persons.

The damask that comes by the yard, two yards wide, at one dollar a yard, is very fair quality for everyday use. The bordered cloth, two yards square, will probably cost \$2.50, the linen about the same grade as the yard goods.

Napkins costing from two to three dollars a dozen will match these cloths. At the first price the napkins will measure 20 inches square. These are intended for breakfast and supper. Dinner napkins will measure 27 inches, and a very fair quality may be bought for a quarter apiece. Of course, a set of cloth and napkins may be added and held in reserve for use when company is being entertained. Very often this set comes in the form of a wedding present, but four tablecloths and three dozen napkins will be enough for a small family.

In choosing table linen large designs should be avoided. There is nothing more satisfactory in the long run than the dot design showing a handsome border. If carefully darned as soon as signs of wear appear the pattern can be followed so the mending will be invisible.

The linen must bear the initials of your maiden name.

These are embroidered in white, the letters about two inches high, across one corner three inches or so above the hem.

The napkins are marked in the same way, the size of the letters being reduced proportionately.

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A Bulloz model of white charmeuse trimmed with lace and embroidery of silver and pearls.

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Imitation Roses of Daintily Woven Silk Threads Are the Most Popular Just Now.

Have you mastered the art of daintily twisting and gathering soft silk until one looks with wonder on what seems a perfect rose? Then you can make a thoroughly desirable garniture for your newest evening wrap.

Let it be of whatever hue you consider most becoming, but make for its bedecking either one very large or two more moderately sized silken roses, pompon fashion.

They can either be double or of that semi-double type which reveals a heart of gold, says the New York Herald, and they are used to define the gracefully draped fold which conceals the fastening together of the two sides directly in front. As if slightly gathered up with the finger tips, each of the loose coat fronts should be caught with one of the roses, and the outer petals, half crushing together, cover the real fastening which catches the coat fronts securely in place.

Slashed Hems.

The new slashed hem has removed one of the greatest difficulties of the extremely narrow skirt, giving a much desired freedom in walking that sensible American women insist upon having. In spite of fashion's edicts. In its modified form the slashed skirt is entirely practical, as the slash is not apparent except when the wearer is in motion, when a plated under section of the material is revealed.

MARVELS OF SURGERY

ALMOST UNBELIEVABLE ARE THE CASES RECORDED.

Equipped With Perfect Knowledge of the Human Frame, There Seems Nothing Which the Modern Doctor May Not Accomplish.

Since the days when Shakespeare drew that serio-comic picture of the apothecary, surgical science has certainly made wonderful strides. You know the barber's pole is painted white and red, because in bygone days the barber was the only dentist, and the white streaks stood for the lather plastered on the jaws of humanity, while the red stripes typified the blood that flows from human gums when you pull aching teeth with an instrument little more handy than a pair of tongs. Shakespeare's apothecary and the old-fashioned dentist stood for about all the surgical skill there was in the world.

It is a long course from that to the surgery practiced at Redding, Cal., not long since, when a six-year-old boy fell from the rafters of a barn 12 feet to the floor, striking on his stomach and producing copious hemorrhage in the abdomen. This would have presented a task for Shakespeare's apothecary, and the dentist of that day which would have been far beyond their skill. It was really an easy job for the surgical science of today to handle. The expert surgeons simply laid the child on his back, cut his abdomen open, took therefrom every one of the internal organs, found the hemorrhage to proceed from the diaphragm, an unusual place to be ruptured, sewed up the wound, replaced all the organs, including the stomach, as they should be, then sewed up the abdomen and laid the boy away quite comfortably to rest and recuperate.

Every organ in the abdomen of the child had been taken from its place and had lain on a table for an hour, they had all been replaced properly, and the hope of the child's recovery at the time this is written is great.

Modern surgical science can do the heart out of a human breast and hold that palpitating vital organ in its hands, operate around it with its delicate instruments, remove obstructions therefrom, and otherwise administer to the recuperation of its perfectly healthful action, put it back in place, and the subject suffer no permanent injury.

Unreflective persons are given to sneering at medical science, and no doubt the medical faculty admit young men to practice medicine who are not thoroughly equipped for the task. But that is a small matter weighed against the devotion of conscientious physicians who grudge no pains in learning how to minister to bodies and minds diseased. There is no science in which a larger number of devoted men spend more years or give more thorough study to the improvement of professional knowledge and the scientific treatment of the subjects coming under their care than the medical profession. Nor is there any other profession to which the human family owes a greater debt of gratitude for their unwearied attention in sickness and accidents.—Exchange.

The French Presidency.

Several persons are named for the presidency of the French republic to succeed M. Fallieres, whose seven-year term of office expires with the beginning of the new year. Among them are Leon Bourgeois, who it is said, would have a "walk over"—this American term now appearing in French politics. But M. Bourgeois will not declare himself a candidate. Antonin Dubois, despite his pretensions, will have no chance for the reason that he is president of the senate and the chamber of deputies will not consent to send to the presidency of France for the third time the president of that body. This would, it is held, have the effect of giving to the senate the privilege of naming the president of the republic. Jean Dupuy, minister of public works, has been mentioned, but he is said to lack prestige. Another name is that of M. Pams, who, however, does not, it is said, desire this high fortune, though he would accept it if it were urged upon him as a matter of duty. It is said that Mr. Poincare is the choice of M. Clemenceau, "le tigre," whose election would vacate the presidency of the council, which is the real seat of power in France, a position that M. Clemenceau would not be averse to filling again.

Mummy as "Dried Fish."

The customs authorities at Cherbourg are in a quandary as to the admission of a postal package containing the cremated remains of a Frenchman who died in New York. Not long ago their colleagues at Marseilles were confronted with a somewhat similar difficulty. A well-known French Egyptologist arrived at that port with a royal mummy. The officials were informed, on inquiry, that the case contained a Pharaoh. The tariff list was searched in vain for any such article as a Pharaoh, and it was decided to levy duty on the highest scale in order to be on the safe side. The mummy was accordingly assessed as "dried fish."

Bad Omen.

"You never speculate in corn?" said the Chicago man. "No," replied Mr. Cumrox. "I got the idea that my luck didn't run that way. Finding a red ear at a husking bee was how I come to get engaged."

THE MORAL IT TAUGHT.

A Quaint Comment on the Success of F. Marion Crawford.

Many visitors to Rome will remember the German book store on the Piazza di Spagna kept by Herr S., of whom a story is told which throws a backward light upon the apparently troublesome activities, as a boy, of a distinguished American novelist. Herr S., who had been established in Rome as a bookseller almost a lifetime, once met in his store another elderly gentleman, who said:

"Isn't it fine, Mr. S., about Frank Crawford?"

"Fine about Frank Crawford? You mean?"

"Why, about his book—a great success. Haven't you heard. Haven't you read it?"

"Read his book? No. Frank Crawford ride a book? Impossible!"

"Oh, yes; no doubt of it. Giuseppe," calling a salesman, "let me have a copy of 'Mr. Isaacs,' please."

When the volume was brought to the incredulous bookseller he held it at arm's length, looking at it curiously as he turned it from side to side and from end to end. Then he cautiously examined the title page with its "—th edition," which he greeted with a guttural "Huh." Next he turned to the last page and read the concluding sentence with another grunt of astonishment. Then he dipped into the volume in two or three places and finally, satisfied that he was not being deceived, handed back the book to Giuseppe without looking at him and said:

"Veil, veil! Dot brooves dot you must neffer trown a poy."—Baddeley Boardman in Century.

Very Bad Form.

Lord Rocksavage, who leads the Duke of Westminster's set, is hand some, a fine rider, a superb shot and very, very smart in dress. He was strolling one warm and sunny winter morning on the terrace at Monte Carlo. From the cut of his gray dannels a pickpocket realized Lord Rocksavage's opulence and attempted to steal his sovereign purse. But the young nobleman seized in his strong brown hand the pickpocket's grimy paw, and, looking at it disgustedly, he said as he flung it from him, "How dare you put your hand in a gentleman's pocket without washing it first?"

Webster Was Gallant.

Daniel Webster was exceedingly fond of music, and when he was stopping at Willard's hotel in Washington he never ceased to implore the wife of a member of congress, also a guest at the hotel, for "just a little song." He



MADE A STILL LOWER BOW.

had an old fashioned gallantry in speaking to ladies, and every time he saw the wife of his friend he complimented her most extravagantly on her voice. When Jenny Lind came to Washington Daniel Webster was, of course, among the audience. He had come in rather late from a champagne party and after each song of Jenny Lind's applauded most vociferously. Finally, rising to the pinnacle of enthusiasm, he stood up in the crowded hall and made one of his most gallant bows to the great singer. Then, catching sight of the lady whose voice he also admired, he turned to her, away from Jenny Lind, and made a still lower bow amid the laughter and applause of the audience.

A Crusher For Conkling.

Roscoe Conkling was a capital boxer and quite proud of his skill. One evening after considerable banter he induced Senator Chandler to "put on the gloves" with him. He played with Chandler for a few rounds, much to the discomfort of the latter. Chandler bided his time and some time later quietly brought a professional pugilist to dinner where Conkling was a guest. In the course of the evening "Mr. Smith" was induced to engage in a boxing bout with Mr. Conkling. The professional danced around the senator, landing when and where he wished, playing with him as he would with a punching bag. The elegant New York senator was dazed, overwhelmed, humiliated, crushed. When he surrendered and called enough, as he did at last, Senator Chandler smiled blandly and presented the pugilist in his true colors.

DON'T BE ONE OF THE BEHINDHANDS.

Whatever you have to do, get it off your chest and have it over with. Do it on time.

This applies especially to Christmas shopping.

The Behindhands become the Inbads in most everything, and especially in the Christmas game.

Procrastination causes trouble in every line, but the trouble multiplies for the procrastinator in Christmas shopping.

A good deed is increased in power if done promptly.

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Be a Beforehand and you will be popular.

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| New Ear Corn | .55 |
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| New Oats | .35 |

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| Badger Dairy Feed | \$1.35 |
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| White Middlings | 1.50 |
| Red Middlings | 1.50 |
| Timothy Hay | .85 |
| Rye Chop | 1.70 |
| Baled Straw | .65 |
| Plaster | \$7.00 per ton |
| Cement | \$1.40 per bbl |
| Flour | \$4.80 |
| Western Flour | 6.40 |
| Wheat | \$1.10 |
| New Ear Corn | .60 |
| Shelled Corn | .90 |
| New Oats | .45 |
| Western Oats | .45 |
| New York Market—Henney White | |
| Fancy Eggs, 50 and 55 cents. | |

PUBLIC SALE

Of Valuable Town Property.

On Saturday, December 7th, 1912, the undersigned, by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, to him directed, will expose at public sale on the premises:

All that lot of ground, situate in on the East side of Carlisle street, thirty feet, more or less, adjoining on the North, lot of June F. Tipton, on the South lot of E. M. Bender and on the East a public alley, having a depth from Carlisle street of one hundred and forty-two feet, more or less. The lot is improved with a two and one-half story brick house with a two story L attached. The house contains four rooms on the first floor, five rooms and a bath on the second floor, and three rooms on the third floor.

Anyone desiring to examine the premises may call on the undersigned.

Sale to begin at 1 o'clock p. m., on the premises, at which time and place the conditions thereof will be made known by

D. P. McPHERSON,

Trustee.

PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 1912

The undersigned will sell the following personal property at public sale at his coach shop in the rear of his residence No. 124 North Stratton street:

1 strawberry roan mare, 8 years old, sound and gentle, speedy driver, good showy mover, Rubrician stock; one new rubber tire runabout with auto seat; one rubber tire runabout with auto seat used some; one steel tire runabout narrow track; one Park wagon 3 springs, top and curtains; speed sleigh, 3 sets of good harness, 1 just new; a lot of other harness, one flynet and other articles not mentioned.

A credit of six months will be given on all sums of \$5.00 and over. All sums under \$5.00 cash. A discount of 4 per cent for cash. Sale to commence at one o'clock.

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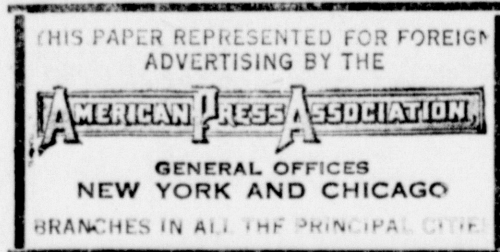
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Will pay 80 cts. per 100 lbs. for hand picked apples.

For good potatoes, 50 cts per bu.

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Water Rents are Now Due

and payable at office of the company or to the collector Miss Hattie Johns.

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FOOD CHOPPERS KEEN CUTTER SAFETY RAZORS
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J. J. REINDOLLAR, Fairfield, Pa.

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Perfectly safe driving horse cheap,
if sold very soon.

Apply Eckert's Store, Gettysburg.

THE POOREST OF ALL PEOPLE

Natives of the Arctic Who Have
Enough to Eat Are Considered
Very Fortunate.

I have not known so poor a winter during the whole of my stay among the Eskimos (now 22 years), says a writer in the Christian Herald. While the coast is ice-bound, the days short, snowstorms frequent and the thermometer often 40 degrees below zero, it is not possible for the Eskimo to do much to secure a living. One way for the women to produce something was to cut holes through the sea ice, which reaches a thickness of six feet, and there they stood fishing for rock cod, most days securing only between five and ten fish. The mission endeavored to help, but poverty was so general that all resources were taxed to the utmost.

An outsider has no idea of what poverty among the Eskimos means. At the best of times the wants of an Eskimo are few and his food consists of the coarsest of substances. Seal walrus and whale meat form a large part of their diet, and the blubber of these animals serves in the place of pork or butter.

In China the famished inhabitants subsisted on roots or some inferior vegetable, but here the vegetable kingdom has nothing to offer. The earth is frozen and deeply covered with snow and ice; the birds have gone south and one might walk for miles without seeing a living creature. At the same time it is of interest to know even these primitive people have for ages found a kind of substitute for food somewhere. Along the beach, which is known to have plenty of seaweed, holes are cut through the thick ice and the seaweed and mussels pulled up through the holes, and it is on record that the Eskimos have sustained life on this, one might say, refuse of the sea, during the long winter months.

The Eskimo has no word for "God" in his language, and it has been fitly marked that the very austere aspect of life may have helped to exclude the conception of a superhuman benevolent Being from the beliefs and superstitions of these people of the Arctic.

THOSE WHO DO NOT THINK

Eskimos Believe It Is Not Necessary
If They Have Enough
Meat to Eat.

Where the physical struggle for life is at its keenest, as it is among the Eskimos, the years glide by free from the more subtle cares and worries of the civilized man. The Eskimo, says Mr. Knud Rasmussen in "The People of the Polar North," does not count the days, and keeps no record of time. All his thoughts are centered on hunting.

Once I asked an Eskimo who seemed to be plunged in reflection, "What are you thinking about?"

He laughed at my question, and said: "Oh, it is only you white men who go so much for thinking! Up here we only think of our flesh-pits, and whether we have enough for the long dark of the winter. If we have meat enough then there is no need to think. I have meat and to spare!" I saw that I had insulted him by crediting him with thought.

On another occasion I asked an unusually intelligent Eskimo, Panigpak, who had taken part in Peary's last north polar expedition:

"Tell me, what did you suppose was the object of all your exertions? What did you think when you saw the land disappear behind you and you found yourself out on the drifting ice-floes?"

"Think?" said Panigpak, astonished. "I did not need to think. Peary did that!"

Eating becomes the great thing with the Eskimos. I once excused myself, when paying a visit, with the plea that I had already eaten and had had enough. I was laughed at, and the answer I received was:

"There thou talkest like a dog! Dogs can be stuffed till they are satisfied and can eat no more; but people—people can always eat!"

Art and Engineering.

The close connection of the artistic and the mechanical instinct is shown again in recent developments in France.

France is doubtless the most eminent modern nation in the world of art. But in the past 30 years she has come to be one of the foremost in mechanical engineering; as the development of the automobile and the aeroplane bears witness. Coincidentally, there has been at least a relative falling off in her standing in art.

This looks as if the demand of modern times had turned machine-wards the genius which in an earlier day would have expressed itself with brush and chisel.

The artist and the engineer or inventor have the same faculty of seeing a thing before it is finished, the same keen sense of proportion and relation, the same intense desire to put ideas into concrete form.

When America pauses from her rush in mechanical invention, she will develop an artistic power that will astonish the world.

Historic British Ship.

One of the most interesting ships afloat is the Eagle, which lies in one of the docks of the River Mersey, England. For more than fifty years the Eagle has served as a training ship. It was launched in 1804, and took part in several important engagements in the early part of the last century, when the Napoleonic power was at its height.

FIX PEACE PARLEY FOR FRIDAY WEEK

Delegates of Allies and Tur
to Meet in London.

GREECE WILL PARTICIPATE

Ottoman Government Regards Outcome of Negotiations as a Victory.

London, Dec. 5.—The peace plenipotentiaries representing Turkey, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro will begin their work in London on Friday of next week.

It is officially announced at Sofia that the Greek plenipotentiaries at Baghche did not definitely reject the terms of the armistice, but reserved their decision for twenty-four hours. Even in the event of her declining to approve the armistice protocol, Greece will participate in the peace negotiations in London.

The armistice contains the following conditions:

1. The belligerent armies shall remain in the positions they at present occupy.
2. The besieged Turkish fortresses shall not be evacuated.
3. The revictualing of the Bulgarian army in the field shall be carried out by way of the Black sea and Adrianople, commencing ten days after the signature of the armistice.
4. The negotiations for peace shall begin in London on Dec. 13.

Turkey's concession to the effect that Turkish garrisons now under siege should not be revictualled indicates that Turkey believes that peace will be speedily concluded.

A feeling of intense relief swept through Turkish government circles when news of the armistice was promulgated. Turkey regards the final outcome of the negotiations as a victory for the Ottoman envoys.

"Turkey retains her national honor and we believe that our empire has been strengthened rather than weakened," said Grand Vizier Kiamil Pasha at the close of a meeting of the ministerial council.

While the Turks have refused to surrender Adrianople, Scutari and Janina, they have agreed to discuss the cessation of these places at the peace negotiations at London, according to a Sofia dispatch to the Paris Matin.

A Constantinople dispatch to the Times says that a report is current there that certain of the powers advised Bulgaria to sign the armistice without the Greeks, on condition that the campaign, if continued by Greece, should be localized in Epirus.

The Greek people felt that Janina should be surrendered to them and that the Turks on the islands of Chios and Mitylene should also give up their arms rather than merely march away, as they might do under the terms of the armistice. But most of all the Greeks were indignant over the proposal that all besieged towns should be daily revictualled during the armistice, which, although not announced, is supposedly for fourteen days.

They thought that if the siege of Adrianople was thus raised voluntarily and the Bulgars deprived themselves of what was practically in their grasp they would be called upon to sacrifice some of the land they had wrested from the Turks as a reward to the Bulgarians.

So the Greek representatives, armed with these instructions from their government, came before the delegates and said very firmly that they would sign no such armistice at this time. Serbia, Montenegro and Bulgaria thereupon told the Greeks that if they would not strike hands with their allies and were insistent upon holding out, they could fight on. But under these circumstances they must fight alone. The three Balkan states felt, said their representatives, that it was time for an armistice and that it should be signed.

COST ON THE WAR

Casualties Total 34,600 Killed and 162,700 Wounded.

London, Dec. 5.—According to the latest available estimates furnished by competent authorities the casualty list of the Balkan war up to the signing of the armistice stands as follows:

| | Killed. | Wounded. |
|------------------|---------|----------|
| Turkey | 20,000 | 100,000 |
| Bulgaria | 10,000 | 40,000 |
| Serbia | 3,500 | 15,500 |
| Montenegro | 800 | 5,000 |
| Greece | 300 | 2,200 |

Totals

34,600 162,700
Above the cost of maintaining their usual military establishments it is estimated that the warring states have spent \$150,000,000 on the struggle, not counting injury to trade, the destruction of property or the lost services of the killed and maimed.

Wages Stand Still.

Fall River, Mass., Dec. 5. — There will be no advance in the wages of the 30,000 cotton mill operatives of Fall River at this time. It was announced by the Textile Council that as a result of a conference between representatives of the manufacturers and the union, no formal demand for an increase would be presented. An advance of 10 per cent in wages was made last spring.

MRS. ROBERT GOELET.

Society Woman Who Died In
Paris.



MRS. ROBERT GOELET DIES

New York Society Leader Succumbs to Cancer.

Paris, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Robert Goelet, New York society leader, died in her Paris residence, 36 Avenue D'Iona.

Mrs. Goelet was taken seriously ill in August this year, while on her yacht Nahma, at Southampton, and her ailment was diagnosed as cancer.

Mrs. Goelet immediately left for France to undergo treatment. Reports as to her condition since her arrival in Paris had been so favorable that her death was unexpected. The body will be sent to America for burial.

\$1,159,446 USED TO ELECT WILSON

89,854 Contributions to Democratic Campaign.

Washington, Dec. 5. — It cost the Democratic national committee \$1,159,446 to carry the election for Wilson and Marshall, according to its final statement of contributions and expenses filed with the house.

Charles R. Crane, Chicago, was the heaviest contributor, with \$10,000, closely pressed by Cleveland H. Dodge, of New York, \$25,000, and Herman Ridder, of New York, \$20,000.

The total of \$1,110,952 contributions received by the committee came from 89,854 separate contributors, of which all except 1625 were in amounts less than \$100.

William J. Bryan gave \$1000, as did David R. Francis, former secretary of the interior; Mayor John F. Fitzgerald of Boston; Senators Newlands and O'Gorman. Senator Watson contributed \$7500, and Governor Foss, former Senator William A. Clark and Roger Sullivan gave \$5000 each. George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, gave \$1000; B. F. Yoakum, \$2500, and J. D. Phelan, former mayor of San Francisco, \$2000.

John Barton Payne put \$15,000 into the committee's chests; Judge J. W. Gerard, \$13,000; Jacob H. Schiff and B. M. Baruch, \$12,500 each.

MEXICANS KILL AMERICAN

Rebels Slay Train Guard, Loot and Burn Cars.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 5.—Mexican rebels attacked a north bound passenger train below Juarez, on the Mexican Central railroad.

They killed several of the guard of federal soldiers and captured the remainder. Then they robbed the passengers and burned the train, according to reports brought to El Paso by refugees arriving on another train, that was compelled to return to the border.

It is reported that an American passenger was killed. Eight of the passengers after being robbed made their way north on a handcar and were picked up by the southbound train later.

MacVeagh Makes Gift.

Vineland, N. J., Dec. 5.—Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh has sent Lyon Post, G. A. R., a collection of Confederate money which the government stored away soon after the war. The post had the money framed.

Three Burned to Death In Jail. Crowley, La., Dec. 5.—Three prisoners in the local jail were cremated when they set fire to the structure in an attempt to burn their way to freedom.

BANKING SYSTEM PROMOTES PANICS

Secretary of Treasury Urges
Radical Reforms.

SAYS PEOPLE ARE HELPLESS

Declares the Government Is Responsible For Disasters Resulting From Panics—For Central Agency.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Strongly urging radical reform of the "unreasonable and unscientific" banking and currency system of the United States, Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh freely warns congress in his annual report that the federal government, so long as the present scheme exists, will be exclusively responsible for the commercial, industrial and social disasters which flow from panics and which attack, directly or indirectly, every home in the nation.

The present system promotes and develops panics and legislation is urgent, declares Mr. MacVeagh, in outlining his idea of the necessary general provisions of an adequate relief measure.

Aside from affording flexible and elastic currency and reserves, such a revision, he says, should bring the banks into organized co-operation and provide for a central agency through which they could work together, free of political or trust control.

According to the estimates of the treasury department, the secretary foresees a deficit of \$22,556,023, exclusive of Panama canal expenditures, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, the first fiscal year of President Wilson's administration. Including the canal expenses the deficit is estimated at \$52,730,455.

The canal expenditures, he adds, may be paid under the law from bond sales. The estimated receipts for that year are \$710,000,000, while the ordinary appropriations are estimated at \$732,656,023, and the canal expenditures at \$39,174,432.

Undoubtedly having probable tariff revision in mind, the secretary announces that these estimates are based upon present conditions and laws.

For the current fiscal year, ending June 30, 1913, Mr. MacVeagh estimates that there will be a surplus of \$40,200,000, exclusive of Panama canal expenditures, and a deficit of \$1,890,000 including the canal transactions. He estimates receipts for this year at \$711,900,000 and ordinary disbursements at \$670,80,000.

In connection with financial reform, Mr. MacVeagh says the people are helpless under existing evils. The present system never permits free action at any time, because its liability to sudden constraint and restriction is always a part of the nation's financial consciousness.

"A panic," he says, "is as unnecessary and as avoidable as an epidemic of smallpox. You can have an epidemic of smallpox if you disregard all that science has provided as a preventive. So we will continue to have panics only so long as we refuse to apply the simple preventive which he who runs may read."

"Not only does the system established by the present federal laws promote and develop panics, but at all times the country is carrying the needless and heavy burden of an unfit and wholly insufficient banking and currency system. This system never permits entirely free commercial, financial or industrial action at any time, because its liability to sudden constraint and restriction is always a part of the nation's financial consciousness."

CREMATING WAR'S DEAD

Ground Too Hard to Bury the Fallen Soldiers.

Constantza, Roumania, Dec. 5. — Twelve thousand corpses still lie unburied on the battlefields of Kumanova and Monastir.

Interment had proved impracticable because of the frozen and rocky nature of the ground. In order to dispose of the dead several portable crematories have been received in Belgrade from Germany and will be sent at once to the scene.

Christmas Tree Ship Missing.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—The three-masted schooner Rouse Simmons, with Captain Herman Schuenemann and crew of fifteen, has been given up as lost by local shipping interests and government marine officials. The schooner left Thompson, Mich., on Nov. 21, bound for Chicago with Christmas trees, which have constituted an annual cargo for thirty years.

Suffragettes May Use Bombs.

London, Dec. 5.—The militant suffragettes decided at a recent meeting to resort to the use of explosives in the event of the government refusing to incorporate woman suffrage in the forthcoming franchise bill, according to a statement issued by a news agency. Volunteers are to be called for to use bombs both inside and outside the house of commons.

Nine Killed Hunting Rabbits.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 5.—The twenty-day rabbit hunting season in Ohio has cost nine lives and thirty-three hunters were wounded.

The Early Christmas Shopper

Gets the pick of the goods.
Receives prompt and cheerful service.
Avoids the crowds.
Befriends the shopgirls.
Never gets left in the rush of the last hours.
Can send the presents out in time to reach the recipients.
Has the satisfaction of knowing it is all over.
Avoids the money drain all at one time.

Indeed, there is every reason for shopping early, no valid reason for shopping late. To leave the matter to the last possible moment is merely procrastination and neglect.

Every one who has shopped late knows how unsatisfactory it is, how tired the clerks are, how the goods have been depleted, how one is jostled by the crowds, how slow and unsatisfactory the service is, how there is danger of mistakes or failure of delivery in the last hours, thus preventing the presents from reaching on time those for whom they are intended, and how all the expenses come piling in at one time.

Surely any one who has had that experience will never risk it again.

Therefore
SHOP EARLY.
DO IT TODAY.
For the Boy's Sake.

A Roseville man stopped smoking for the sake of his young son. "If I smoke I shall set him a bad example," he argued and gave up tobacco with many sighs of regret. For three years he has done without the weed. The other night he found a box of little cigars in the boy's coat pocket, a well smoked briar pipe in the youngster's tool box down cellar and a pack of cigarettes in the woodshed.—Newark News.

Report of the condition of the
National Bank of Arendtsville
AT ARENDSVILLE, PA., at the close of business Nov. 26, 1912.

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| RESOURCES | |
| Loans and discounts | 98,727.67 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | 124.04 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | 25,000.00 |
| Premiums on U. S. Bonds | 356.00 |
| Bonds, securities, etc. | 18,753.13 |
| Banking house, furniture, and fixtures | 4,078.44 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | 12,017.41 |
| Checks and other cash items | 683.88 |
| Notes of other National Banks | 285.00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents | 30.66 |
| LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ: | |
| Specie | 5,875.93 |
| Legal-tender notes | 660.00 |
| | 6,535.93 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) | 1,250.00 |
| Due from U. S. Treasurer | 500.00 |
| Total | 168,896.13 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Capital stock paid in | 25,000.00 |
| Surplus Fund and undivided profits | 8,862.28 |
| National Bank notes outstanding | 25,000.00 |
| Due to other National Banks | 1,925.43 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 21,305.73 |
| Time certificates of deposit | 86,851.72 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 275.00 |
| Total | 168,896.13 |
| State, Pennsylvania County of Adams ss: | |
| I, L. H. RICE, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. | |
| L. H. RICE, Cashier. | |
| Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Dec. 1912. | |
| P. S. Orner, Notary Public. My commission expires May 10, 1913. | |
| Correct Attest: | |
| G. F. SMITH, JAMES C. COLE, ROBERT H. SHULL, Directors. | |

York Opera House
Thursday Evening—December 5th
MADAME ALDA
Youngest of all the great prima donnas of the
METROPOLITAN OPERA CO.,
and a famous beauty. Assisted by
ANDRE BENOIST—Painist
Seat sale opens Tuesday 9 A.M. Reserved seats 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50. Gallery 25c. Seats in Boxes \$1.50.

Food Sale and Bazaar
Saturday Afternoon and Evening
December 7th
at Mrs. M. Herring's Lutheran Mite Society
Fairfield, Pa.
APPLES for sale. First grade. Isaac Crum, Biglerville, Pa.—advertisement.

A Gambler's Warning

By EVERETT ATWATER

Croker up to the time he was forty years old was a very successful gambler. About the time he reached that age he opened a gambling house in a large city, taking care to hand over a proportion of his winnings to the police. If he had had only the police to trouble him he would be running his place yet. It wasn't the police, but something that shook up his nerves far more than a raid from them and drove him out of gambling altogether.

A number of persons had been ruined playing in Croker's rooms, but they hadn't bothered Croker. What they did with themselves he didn't know and didn't care. At Monte Carlo every now and then a pistol shot is heard in the grounds and the body of some suicide is found who had lost a fortune at the tables. Croker's place was on a thoroughfare, and if any one wished to commit suicide on account of losses at his place he would go where he was less likely to be observed. At any rate there were no disagreeable happenings whatever till that one occurred which drove him out of the gambling business.

A young Scotchman, Donald Adair, on coming of age came over the water to see America before settling down on his estate and marrying the daughter of a neighboring laird. He was very much in love with the girl and was contemplating a happy life. On reaching New York he found a friend to show him the town, and, among other places, this friend took him into Croker's gambling rooms. They were sumptuously furnished, and an elaborate supper with choice wines was on a buffet. Adair, to pay for his supper, concluded to lose a dollar or two and lost a hundred before leaving the place.

The next day he went back to get a return of \$98 and lost a thousand. And so it went on, losing, winning, losing, winning, till all his letter of credit called for was used up. Then he drew all the cash that could be raised on his estate and one night walked away from the den of iniquity without a shilling in the world. But before leaving he said to Croker:

"Look out for me tomorrow night. I have an idea that I may win all this money back."

Croker said that when he said this he looked at him in a way that froze the marrow in his bones.

By this time the telephone had come into use, and Croker conceived the idea of doing some business over it with persons too timid or too eminently respectable to come to his rooms. Of course whoever played over the wire sent a person to see to his interests.

About an hour after Adair had left Croker a ruined man a messenger came into the place with \$50 in gold and left it with the proprietor. A moment later the latter received word by telephone that the person who had sent the gold would like to play roulette over the phone. Croker went into the private room and asked who the party was. The answer came back that it was Adair. Croker shrugged his shoulders. Having won everything Adair had, he had hoped that he had got through with him. But he couldn't refuse to play and asked Adair who he would represent him. Adair named one of the employees, Riley, adding that he would give him 10 per cent of any winnings he might make. Riley was called in, and the game began.

Adair won from the start. True, he would occasionally lose, but his losses were so small in proportion to his winnings that the preponderance was very largely in his favor. Every time he gained a good sum he gave directions that his representative should deduct 10 per cent of it. This kept Riley in his interest and insured his getting his winnings. But after awhile those winnings accumulated so largely that Croker asked Riley, taking care to speak in a whisper, that he might not be heard over the wire, to go back on his principal and report losses instead of winnings, offering him a large percentage to do so. Riley consented, and the next large sum Adair won he wired that it had been a loss.

"For that lie I will make you pay dearly," came over the wire in a voice that struck both men with terror.

The game went on, and presently Adair left his winnings on a number that paid 3 for 1, and every time the ball spun it won for him. Croker played until he dared go no further, then telephoned that he had finished for that night. No reply came to this, and he asked what he should do with Adair's winnings. Adair must have left the phone, for not a whisper came back.

"I don't like this business," Croker said to Riley. "You take his pile and turn it all over to him when he calls for it."

Riley scooped up the winnings, and Croker went home very much rattled. The next morning when he took up the paper he saw an account of the suicide of Donald Adair. He had gone directly to his hotel from Croker's, stopped the doors and windows with the bedclothes and turned on the gas.

This is the story Croker tells it. Riley only knows what passed in the roulette room. Nobody believes the yarn, of course. But how comes it Croker was driven out of a lucrative business for no other cause and has been a man of shattered nerves ever since?

Anyway, the doctors can't explain it.

LETTERS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

Correspondents send in Many Items of Interesting News from their Respective Towns. Personals and Many Brief Items.

ABBOTTSTOWN
Abbottstown—Visitors seemed to shun our town the past week.

The Beaver cigar factory began work again Monday.

Mrs. Charles Bowser, of York, spent the past week here, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ailce Miller.

Charles Wolf, of near town, killed a hog Friday that weighed 353 1-2 pounds.

Henry Zinn, of York, was a Sunday visitor to our town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Stambaugh and Miss Mellie K. Eisenhart visited friends at York Springs several days this week.

Leslie Renicker residing with Jacob Peterman, of Berwick township, is ill with diphtheria. The case was reported Monday.

By consent of the medical inspector, and after thorough fumigation of the schoolhouse, our schools opened Monday. No services of any kind were held in our churches owing to the diphtheria.

LATIMORE
Latimore—The farm of Dr. C. L. Myers tenanted by Calvin Davis produced one thousand bushels of wheat this season.

D. W. Fickel is convalescing from an attack of quinsy.

The Long Hunting Club killed three deer this season.

The Lebanon Valley College football team made a great record this year under the captaincy of John Lerew, son of Mrs. Maggie J. Lerew a former resident of this place but now living at Dillsburg.

Miss Mande Ernst has returned home from a visit to Harrisburg friends.

NEW CHESTER
New Chester—Mrs. Elizabeth Eby, of Middletown is visiting Frank March and family.

Mrs. Jacob Trimmer spent the past week with her daughter Mrs. Frank Deatrack of near New Oxford.

Miss Mary March spent a few days with friends at Gettysburg the past week.

Raymond Wolf and wife, of Biglerville, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wolf.

Mrs. F. X. Miller, of New Oxford, is visiting her father, G. F. Witter.

Charles March and family, of Dillsburg, and Mrs. Luther Myers and son, of York, spent Wednesday with C. E. Winand and wife.

Frank Waltman, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Waltman.

The following spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wagner. Mrs. Ellen Zinn, Roy Zinn, wife and son, Harmon, John Zinn and Miss Ethie Miller, Milton Wagner, wife and daughter, David March and family, Robert Eisenhart, wife and daughter, Harleigh Wagner, wife and daughter, Raymond Thomas, Guy Thomas, and Monroe Froek.

The following spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Withers at Spruce Ridge. Mrs. Chester Pottoff, and sons, Lester and Roy, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Withers and sons, Francis and Joseph, Miss Maggie Winand and Jacob Withers.

Farmers are pretty well through with their fall work in this section.

Rev. Paul Wagner, of Albion, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jeff McIntire.

M. O. Brame and family, of Gardners Station, spent Thursday with C. E. Winand and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wolf, spent Tuesday with their son, Raymond Wolf and family, of Biglerville.

Miss Blanche Philips, of near East Berlin, spent the past week with J. T. McIntire and family.

Miss Della Sanders, of Virginia Mills, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Peter McIntire.

Elder Yeagey and family, of near New Oxford, spent Sunday with Emory Miller.

GOOD LECTURE
Dr. Gray Pleases Large Biglerville Audience.

Dr. Ora Samuel Gray delivered a lecture at Biglerville on Wednesday evening on "Catching and Training a Wife". A large audience was delighted with the address which abounded in humor. The Arendtsville Glee Club furnished the music for the entertainment which was the second of this year's course at Biglerville. Dr. Gray will appear in Gettysburg in February as one of the numbers of the college entertainment course.

FOR SALE: one heavy draft horse. S. G. Bigham, Biglerville, Pa.—advertisement.



ALBERT T. PATRICK. Picture Shows Determined Mouth of Pardoned Slayer.

M'CREA LOSES A PRINCELY PENSION

Relinquishes Twenty to Thirty Thousand Yearly by Resigning.

Philadelphia, Dec. 5.—By resigning as president of the Pennsylvania railroad five years before the age limit at which employees and officials of the railroad company are pensioned at one-half the pay they were receiving at the time of their retirement, James M'Crea, whose resignation as president takes effect on Jan. 1, voluntarily relinquishes thousands of dollars.

His salary has been variously estimated at from \$40,000 to \$75,000 a year. If he had remained in the Pennsylvania railroad service at a salary of \$50,000 a year his pension after retirement in five years would have been about \$25,000 annually.

The method of the Pennsylvania railroad in pensioning is to give an employee or official at the age of seventy years. Then the pensioner for the remainder of his life receives a pension of 1 per cent of his average salary for the past ten years for each year the employee or official was in the service of the company.

President M'Crea entered the service of the railroad in 1865. If he had remained as head of the company five years longer he would have been in the company's service fifty-three years. Thus he would have been retired in 1918 on a pension of 53 per cent of his average salary for the past ten years.

The company also provides that an employee or official may be pensioned between the ages of sixty-five or seventy if a board of physicians passes on his health and announces that he is physically unfit to perform any longer the duties of his office.

FIND MAN WITH THROAT CUT
Two Foreigners Suspected of Murder of Wilkes-Barre Resident.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 5.—The body of Thomas Dudley, aged fifty years, was found in a brush patch at Plains, near here, with his throat slashed and his body terribly hacked by some sharp instrument.

The police are searching for two foreigners who are believed to have committed the crime. The motive is believed to have been trouble that grew out of a dispute over money.

Prince of Wales Operated On.
London, Dec. 5.—It was learned authentically that the Prince of Wales underwent a successful operation for the removal of adenoids before his recent visit to Paris. News of the operation was rigidly suppressed. The unexpected and gratifying progress made by the prince since then, both in studies and athletics at Oxford, is attributed directly to the operation. Formerly there were grave fears that he would grow up dull in mind.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

| | Temp. | Weather. |
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| Albany | 44 | Clear. |
| Atlantic City | 48 | Rain. |
| Boston | 46 | Clear. |
| Buffalo | 44 | P. Cloudy. |
| Chicago | 42 | Clear. |
| New Orleans | 72 | Cloudy. |
| New York | 46 | Cloudy. |
| Philadelphia | 48 | Cloudy. |
| St. Louis | 54 | Cloudy. |
| Washington | 48 | Clear. |

Today Weather.
Unsettled today and tomorrow; southwest winds.

ARCHBALD WAS IN ON CULM DEAL

Witness Tells How He Helped to Obtain Option.

SHOWS ANGER AT QUESTIONS

Edward J. Williams Was Forced to Admit That Judge Was to Get Half of the Profits.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Admissions that Judge Robert W. Archbald, of the court of commerce, had been interested with him in a deal for the "Katy Did culm dump," near Scranton, Pa., and would have profited from the sale of the property, were drawn from Edward J. Williams, of Dunmore, Pa., before the senate court of impeachment, which is trying the jurist for alleged misconduct.

Mr. Williams was the first witness summoned in the impeachment of Judge Archbald. Standing at the clerk's desk, and facing Judge Archbald, who had been his friend, he said, for thirty years, the aged Welshman became a silent witness for part of the time to the duel between the house managers and Judge Archbald's lawyers, as to what evidence and what testimony should be admitted before the court.

Chief interest centered about the first article of the charges, which alleged that Judge Archbald had exerted influence upon officers of the Erie railroad, which then had a lighterage case pending in his court, to compel them to give an option to Williams upon its portion of the Katy Did refuse coal heaps, owned through its subsidiary company, the Hillside Coal and Iron company.

Mr. Williams declared that Judge Archbald had nothing to do with getting the option, further than to act as his friend and recommend him to the officers of the Hillside company. Later, however, under the questions of Representative Webb, of North Carolina, he said Judge Archbald would have received half of the profits realized from the sale of the property.

"What did Judge Archbald do for which he was to receive one-half of the profits from the coal dump?" demanded Representative Webb.

"It was none of anybody's business if I wished to give it to him," sharply retorted Williams.

To this he later added that the interest of Judge Archbald from "what he did for me" and "what it was partly through his influence that I got the options."

The deal, as outlined by Mr. Williams, began when he went to Judge Archbald and asked his assistance in getting an option from the Hillside company. Judge Archbald, he said, gave him a letter to W. A. May, superintendent of the Hillside company, but Captain May declined to give him an option on the dump.

"I went back and told Judge Archbald I didn't get it, and he said he would see about it," said Williams.

BRIDE SLAYS WOMAN
Says Her Victim Slandered Her to Wedding Guests.

Logansport, Ind., Dec. 5.—Elizabeth Lang, a bride of one day, shot and killed Mrs. Mary Copple, who at the wedding supper Monday night is alleged to have told other guests that the bridegroom had selected an ugly and worthless woman for a life partner.

The police say Mrs. Lang made a confession and expressed pleasure that she had stopped slanderous remarks. The shooting followed a conference of Mrs. Lang with a woman friend, also a wedding guest, who had repeated the reported remarks of Mrs. Copple.

Burglars Busy at Allentown.
Allentown, Pa., Dec. 5.—Burglars operated in three business houses on the main street of Allentown, obtaining fully \$6000 in cash and booty. R. Darevski's jewelry store was looted of all its goods, valued at \$4000. Two thousand dollars' worth of jewelry, furs and clothing was stolen from the store of Nathan & Schatzstein. At the third place \$15 in cash was secured.

Bill to Create Two Admirals.
Washington, Dec. 5.—A bill to confer on the rear admirals in command of the Atlantic and Pacific fleets the title of admiral was introduced in the house by Representative Padgett, chairman of the naval affairs committee. The officer serving as second in command of each fleet would be a vice admiral.

Sixty-three Years Wed.
Millville, N. J., Dec. 5.—Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeves, Sr., called upon them at their home here to assist in celebrating their sixty-third wedding anniversary. None were more gay than their host and hostess, both of whom are very active.

New Government Wins.
Duluth, Minn., Dec. 5.—Duluth voters by an overwhelming majority adopted the new charter and the commission form of government to become effective April 14. The charter includes the initiative, the referendum and the recall.

"MOVIES" HURT SALOONS

Schuylkill County Liquor Men Complain of Decreased Trade.

Pottsville, Pa., Dec. 5.—All through Schuylkill county liquor interests are complaining that the 125 moving picture shows practically have ruined the former retail or tavern business, because men take their families to these nickel shows and no longer have the time to spend in barrooms.

An index to this condition of affairs is shown by the fact that more than 800 applications for liquor licenses are still unfilled with the clerk of the courts, notwithstanding the fact that only twelve days remain in which filing can be done in time for the annual license court. About 1300 applications were filed at this time a year ago.

4-YEAR-OLD BOY SLAIN

Was Fatally Shot by Chum of the Same Age.

Corning, N. Y., Dec. 5.—George Butn, a four-year-old boy, fatally shot Jay Adams, the same age, at Mills, Pa.

The Adams boy aimed a popgun at his companion, who in turn fired a revolver which had been left on a table in the room where they were playing.

The bullet entered the Adams boy's mouth and passed through the lower part of his skull.

RECALL OF DECISIONS URGED IN SENATE

Senator Bristow Would Let People Decide.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Resolutions providing for the amendment of the federal constitution to permit the initiative and the recall of judicial decisions were introduced in the senate by Senator Bristow, who is a Progressive.

Senator Bristow's first resolution would permit the president to submit to popular vote at a congressional election any measure he has recommended to congress and upon which no action has been taken for six months.

The second would provide that "if the supreme court shall decide a law enacted by congress is in violation of the constitution of the United States, the congress at a regular session held after such decision may submit the act to the electors at a regular congressional election."

Such a "recall of decisions" as applied to decisions of state supreme courts, was advocated throughout the recent campaign by Colonel Roosevelt.

Under each of the Bristow amendments it is proposed that the questions submitted to the people must have a majority of the popular vote in a majority of the states, as well as in a majority of the congressional districts of the nation.

In explanation Senator Bristow declared the amendment affecting the president would enable him to appeal from a dilatory or adverse congress to the people, and that a president could not, as an excuse for signing an unwise measure, say that it was the best he could get from an unfriendly congress.

Senator Bristow, in support of his amendment affecting decisions of the supreme court, declared that it would "give to the people an opportunity to state whether or not they desire the law, enacted by congress and approved by the president, to stand as the last expression of their will and judgment."

The resolutions were referred to the judiciary committee.

Titatic Hero Dies.
New York, Dec. 5.—Colonel Archibald Gracie, of Washington, one of the last passengers to leave the sinking Titanic, died here in a private hospital. Colonel Gracie went down with the vessel, but on coming to the surface found a life raft, on which he afterward helped others. His family is prominent in New York, Washington and Mobile, Ala.

Guilt of Bribery.
Columbus, O., Dec. 5.—State Senator George G. Cetone, of Dayton, was found guilty of accepting a bribe of \$200 from Detective Frank Harrison Smiley at a local hotel on April 27, 1911, for his vote upon the Cetone-Whittemore insurance bill in the last legislature.

GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA—FLOUR quiet; winter clear, \$4@4.25; city mills fancy, \$5.25@5.50.

RYE FLOUR quiet, at \$3.60@3.75 per barrel.

WHEAT quiet; No. 2 red, 97@97½c. CORN steady; No. 2 yellow, 59@62c. OATS quiet; No. 2 white, 39c.; lower grades, 37c.

POULTRY: Live steady; hens, 12@14c.; old roosters, 11@11½c. Dressed firm; choice fowls, 16½c.; old roosters, 12½c.; turkeys, 23@24c.

BUTTER steady; fancy creamery, 39c. per lb.

EGGS steady; selected, 41@45c.; nearby, 37c.; western, 37c.

POTATOES steady; 70@73c. bush.

Live Stock Markets.
PITTSBURGH (Union Stock Yards)—CATTLE steady; choice, \$9.25@9.50; prime, \$8.50@9.10.

SHEEP steady; prime wethers, \$1.10@1.25; culls and common, \$2@2.50; lambs, \$5@7.65; veal calves, \$10.50@11.

HOGS steady; prime heavies, mediums and heavy Yorkers, \$7.75@7.80; light Yorkers, \$7.60@7.65; pigs, \$7.25@7.50; roughs, \$6.75@7.

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Will be a daily (or Weekly) reminder of your thoughtfulness. Most everybody gets it now, but they won't object to having a year's subscription paid. Your friends away from home will be especially glad for the home paper.

A neatly printed card as shown on the right will be sent to whom-ever you suggest, on Christmas morning, notifying them of your gift.

M has paid for one year's subscription to The Gettysburg Times, with instructions to send The Times to you, with best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

H. P. MARK - Arendtsville, Pa. - H. P. MARK

A Big Display of Holiday Goods

The thirtieth anniversary of my being in business will be celebrated with a grand opening of holiday goods on

Saturday, December 7th, 1912

A big stock fresh from the eastern cities has been placed in our store rooms and will be open for inspection to all our friends and customers. Our holiday stock consists of

CHINA and GLASSWARE

Cut glass pieces in latest patterns. The only store at which to buy it in the North end of the County. Dinner sets. Silver knives and forks.

BRIC-A-BRAC

Vases, Candlebra, Statuary and Japanese pieces.

SLEDS and WAGONS

The kind that won't break when you look at them. Big line of lightning guiders and flexible flyers. Other toys.

FURNITURE

During the holidays only we offer an eight piece \$30 solid oak suite for \$25. Dresser has a French beveled mirror 24x30. An exceptional offer which will only last for the holiday trade. Iron bedsteads and other furniture of all descriptions. An especially attractive line of rockers, dining room suits, sideboards, desks, etc.

LAMPS

of every style and description.

TOILET SETS

A large line of toilet sets has been received for the holiday trade. A most acceptable gift and we have many patterns.

SWEEEPERS

Bissell's sweepers make very acceptable gifts. They save many hours hard work.

PICTURES

We have no competitors in price, for we do our framing in dull seasons. We are overstocked and the goods must go. As a result we have made a reduction of 25 percent on all pictures.

CARPETS

Brussels, Mouquet Axminster, Ingrain and Rag carpet. A pattern to suit everyone.

RUGS

A large number of rugs of attractive design and excellent quality. All sizes. A new line of bath room rugs, 36x72 for 98c. 30x60 for 89c

OIL STOVES

Monarch and B. and B. oil heaters which are just the thing to take the chill off of a room.

CLOCKS

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Luden Vacuum Cleaner is the best vacuum cleaner we know for the money. It operates by hand and sells for \$20. Our price for it is \$15.00. Ask us to show you how it works.

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Adams County, Pa.

HAS FUND OF WAR TALES

Boer Captain's Experiences of Exciting Times Full of Interesting and Humorous Details.

Capt. C. Van de Watering, one of the heroes of the Boer war, and a man of wide experience in many parts of the world, was in Philadelphia recently and was prevailed upon to tell some of his opinions concerning the figures which loomed large in those troubled times in South Africa, according to the Philadelphia Ledger. The captain is a Dutchman born, but he speaks English perfectly, and likewise French and German. Since giving up the profession of soldier he has been in the much more peaceful pursuit of selling varnish. He is a remarkable developed man physically, and he carries his 240 pounds without any appearance of superfluous flesh.

According to the captain, Oom Paul was a sort of modern King Solomon for sagacity and wisdom, and he proves this by telling a story:

"Cecil Rhodes and De Beers," he said, "had a diamond farm once near Kimberley, and they could not agree on how it should be divided. To settle the matter, they decided to leave it to Kruger. It was explained to him, and he said to Rhodes: 'You are the elder, so you may divide the property,' and to De Beers: 'You are the younger, so you may have the choice of the two pieces.'" In the captain's opinion this settled the vexed question in a most satisfactory manner.

It was suggested to the captain that he must be interested in the Boy Scout movement, since he was himself a scout serving under General De Wet.

"I think the movement is a great thing," he replied enthusiastically. "Anything which will get the youngsters out of doors should be encouraged. I had my start in an outdoor life and every young fellow should have the same opportunity."

The captain doesn't think quite so much of Baden-Powell, the founder of the scout movement.

"Why, he couldn't scout a free lunch," he said. "You see, I helped to capture Baden-Powell once when he was scouting. It was down near Mafeking, and I was in a detachment with Eloff, the grandson of Kruger. We caught Baden-Powell and got him right, but he did not know everything about scouting then."

The captain was the man who arrested John Hays Hammond, in 1896. Mr. Hammond was not on a diplomatic mission in the Transvaal at that time, but was acting as an engineer for the Consolidated goldfields.

Misplaced Confidence.

I wonder how many quarrels, heart-aches, broken engagements and ruined lives could be traced to the betrayal of little confidences which young girls are apt to confide to their women friends?

The German people, who are usually pretty level-headed when it comes to the philosophy of love, have an old proverb, which, being translated, would read thus: "When the devil thinks that matters are running along too smoothly between a man and a maid, he tempts the maid to tell her joy to another woman; then the devil retires, for he knows that the other woman will do all that seven devils could!"

Now, that seems rather hard on the "other woman," doesn't it?

Still, if one will but look back over her experiences, the proverb will prove true in more than one instance, I am sure.

Strange as it may seem to most people who are refined and educated, the fact remains, nevertheless, very few women can resist the desire to meddle with another girl's happiness—even when she has herself won the love and married the man of her choice.

Whether the ulterior motive is one of malicious origin only the woman herself could explain, but the mischief she does has the same results, even if she be entirely innocent of intentional wrong-doing.—Exchange.

Unique Device for Rocking Cradle.

Unique and probably the most primitive cradle-rocking device ever seen or employed in any part of the world is the one that has been adopted by the matter-of-fact squaws of the Kwakiutl tribe of Indians now living on Vancouver Island, British Columbia. The mother performs the double duty of spinning and rocking her infant, snugly packed in a hollowed-out cradle stuffed with cedar-bark strips suspended from the limb of a sapling. This is about the most realistic and accurate representation of the old nursery song, "Rock-a-bye, Baby, in the Treetop," so far known; the most striking part, however, being that of the Indian mother using her big toe as the motive power. With a cord attached to the bent limb and the other wound around her toe, she swings her dangling offspring to and fro, leaving her hands entirely free for weaving. So out of the ordinary was this scene of Indian life, which was met by an expedition, that a life-size group of this subject has just been set up in the North Ethnological hall of the American Museum of Natural History, New York.—Christian Herald.

Second Burbank.

"I'm very fond of watermelon," remarked Mr. Gumme, "but it always gives me cramps."

"Just wait till my idea is perfected," replied Mr. Glenders, "and then you can eat watermelon with impunity."

"What is your idea, may I ask?"

"To graft the watermelon to the Jamaica ginger plant."—Lippincott's.

NOTES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM



Keep the garden clean.
—
Raise the best dairy calves.
—
The best cows are never cheap.

Get the cows started right for winter.

A bushel of seed corn will plant six to eight acres of land.

A hog cannot sleep comfortably in a draft or wind; he catches cold very easily.

In proportion to his size, a hog needs twice the air space that a cow or horse does.

Frozen alfalfa will kill a hog as quickly as it does a cow or a horse. It is usually indigestible.

A bunch of ripe grapes will hang in a hive of bees until it dries up and the bees will not touch it.

Corn meal, meat and potatoes are three of the most valuable ingredients of the fattening bill of fare.

There is only one way of positively diagnosing hog cholera, and that is by a post-mortem examination.

After pigs are weaned, one of the most common causes of runts is the feeding of a straight corn diet.

There are many troubles of swine that are called hog cholera and yet they have very little resemblance to that disease.

The capons when mature will average to weigh between 5 and 12 pounds, depending, of course, on the variety of fowls caponized.

If a hog misses a feed, watch him; if he misses the second feed, remove him from the herd and thoroughly disinfect where he has been.

Prepare warm, dry, but ventilated quarters for the brood sows, and do it now. Cold storms will be here before we are ready for them.

Breeding stock should never be saved from the litter of a vicious old brood sow, which is always restless and chasing about the pasture.

Composted or well-decayed manures serve their best purpose when applied to the surface of the garden and thoroughly disked into the soil.

Fowls in confinement must have light feed and plenty of grit, oyster shell, and a little bone cut green. A little chopped onion is fine about once a day.

Corn silage is an excellent feed for steers on account of its succulence and palatability, and because of its comparative richness in carbohydrates and fat.

Baby beef is a term applied to steers or heifers from fifteen to twenty-two months of age that show sufficient thickness of flesh and quality to be used as block beef.

Eastern farmers owning rough pasture lands valued at \$15 to \$20 per acre, are stocking them with sheep and the mutton industry in that section is being rapidly revived.

Hogs that are allowed considerable amount of room for exercise, given plenty of water and good sleeping quarters in a well-drained area are not very liable to develop disease.

Besides keeping more and better animals, more attention should be paid by farmers to such crops as restore the fertility of the soil. The chief among these are clover and alfalfa.

Lice are frequent causes of unthriftiness with fall pigs. Whenever nits or lice are seen the pigs should be dipped at ten-day intervals or else given one coating of crude oil applied with a broom.

Oats is one of the best dairy feeds which we have. Bran is also a very good dairy feed. Cottonseed meal is also high in protein. Clover hay, which we can raise directly on our farm, is very good.

No time should be lost in fattening the light shearers and disposing of them to the best advantage. The longer a sheep is kept that will not clip a quantity of clean bright wool above the average the poorer the owner will be.

Some farmers seem to imagine that just because a sheep has a fleece to protect it that shelter from cold and storms is not necessary, but they should know that sheep are more susceptible to cold and dampness than any other animal on the farm.



How He Made Good.

"Women," said the impassioned sociological orator, "prefer the cave man."

There was much confusion in the hall and some hissing.

Then a lady of problematical years arose and faced the speaker.

"I should like," she severely said, "to ask the age of the women to whom you have just alluded."

The speaker realized that he was on thin ice, but his nerve did not desert him. He hesitated just a moment.

"The stone age!" he roared, and went on with his lecture.

A Serious Proposition.

"Is you de S. P. C. A.?" asked the colored man with his arm in a sling. "I am a member of the society," replied the earnest-looking young man.

"Well, I wants to repo't my mule to you. I has been arrested twice on his account an' I ain't gwine to hab no mo' words wif 'im."

"Has anybody hurt him?"

"No, boss. But look at me. I has been kicked, tromped on an' cussed in mule talk. If I's got to be kind to dat animal, I wants some understandin' dat will compel reciprocity or, at de very leas', arbitration."

It Often Turns Out That Way.

"Twenty-five years ago people thought he had a distinguished air, and now look at him."

"Yes, now look at him—poor old chap. Still, he has a son who is a sophomore."

"What of that?"

"The son seems to think his father has a distinguished heir."

THE KIDS KNEW.



Swipsey—Is Jimmie's old man really so bald-headed?

Mickey—Sure. Why, he has to tie a piece of string around his head to tell how far up to wash his face.

His Greatest Moment.

The lion tamer's wife Makes him walk a narrow line, But when he goes inside a cage His attitude is fine.

Once.

"Have you ever posed in the 'altogether'?" asked the artist.

"Once," replied the new model. "I went over to Europe last summer and when I returned the customs officials at New York seemed to think they had reason to believe I was trying to smuggle something in."

He Explains.

"These doughnuts—" began the man.

"What's the matter with them?" demanded the Vere de Vere behind the lunch counter.

"I think their inner tubes are punctured."

Literally True.

Father—My daughter tells me you have all kinds of money.

Suitor—Yes, sir.

Father—May I ask what your business is?

Suitor—I'm a coin collector.—Judge.

Keeping Them Off.

"Do you consider such a marriage as that of a man so confirmed a drunkard as Jaggs to a circus performer, a fitting one?"

"A perfectly fit marriage. She's a snake charmer."

Does Seem Strange.

"Went back to one of my old fishin' places today."

"Ketch anything, grandpop?"

"Naw. Can't understand it, nuther. They used to bite well there sixty years ago."

Favoritism.

"The trouble is that my boss has favorites. You can't deny it."

"I won't deny it. But have you noticed that his favorites do all the hard work about the place?"

Wanted

Housekeeper for a small family. Good wages. Apply by letter to J. T. Riggeal, Cashtown.



Eyes

examined carefully at Myers' Jewelry Store every Tuesday or at your home if you drop me a card.

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Wilson's Message

This is my second call to people to come to the Globe Hotel stable for feeds and tyings. Only a hop, skip and a jump from Centre Square.

Milus A. Wilson

Losing Hair? Go To Your Doctor
Ayer's Hair Vigor is composed of sulphur, glycerin, quinin, sodium chlorid, capsicum, sage, alcohol, water, perfume. Not a single injurious ingredient in this list. Ask your doctor if this is not so. A hair tonic. A hair dressing. Promptly checks falling hair. Completely destroys all dandruff. Does not color the hair.

FARM FOR SALE

The undersigned intending to go into other business, will sell his farm of 45 acres more or less, situated 13 1/2 miles from Gettysburg on Carlisle road, was formerly owned by Chas. Tate.

It includes 15 acres of wood and pasture land, with a never-failing supply of water, fine spring, young orchard, good wire fence around greater part of land, which is in fine state of cultivation. 2 1/2 story frame cottage house, surrounded by spacious porch, large 2 story outkitchen, artesian well at door and cements walks, also good barn.

Apply at farm, or Mrs. Riele's millinery store, Chambersburg Street.

D. J. RIELE.

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Deliciousness and Attractiveness

"Should not the eye as well as the palate be pleased." What affords greater delight to the "House-wife" than the fact that she is using that grade of Groceries which will merit a word of praise from the husband or family when they taste that PIE, CAKE, etc.

We have a fine line of FRESH CANDIES to select from.

Bon-Bons, Chocolates

and Mixtures, also

Dates, Figs, Oranges and Grapes, Pecans, Butternuts, English Walnuts, Cocoanuts.

How about that FRUIT CAKE at \$1.50? Orange peel, citron, pineapple, lemon peel, currants, raisins and mince meat.

We offer a full line of Heintz's pickles. Have you tried our

Home Roasted Coffee

We are selling coffee from 22 to 40 c.

A Complete line of market baskets 8c to 75c.

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Queensware

at prices which will interest anyone in need of goods of this kind. The consumer is the judge. We pay the highest cash price for country produce. We buy for cash. We sell for cash.

We Offer

Special prices in ORANGES and CANDIES to the teacher or association for their Christmas treat.

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Baltimore Street.

Gettysburg, Pa.

Pick the Fruit In Time



That is one of the secrets of success in fruit growing. If left too late the fruit rots before it can be marketed.

This man is a successful orange grower because he picks his fruit BEFORE IT IS QUITE RIPE.

That is exactly what every successful man must do in this world—BEFOREHAND.

It is now your business to be a successful Christmas shopper. To do so you must be beforehand in your buying.

That means you must shop early.

Pluck those Christmas bargains from the tree today.

Do not wait until too late and lose your crop.

Otherwise you will be picking lemons and not oranges.

Don't get a Christmas lemon or give one to anybody else.

That might sour your disposition or theirs.

Shopping early will leave a sweet taste in your mouth. Learn a lesson from the orange grower and pick your Christmas fruit on time.

DO IT NOW.

Medical Advertising

DO YOU OWN A HYOMEI INHALER FOR CATARRH?

Then you ought to know that druggists everywhere will furnish you with a bottle of Booth's HYOMEI for only 50c.

Pour a few drops of HYOMEI into the inhaler and start this very day to breathe the soothing, healing vapor and destroy the Catarrh germs.

With every package of HYOMEI comes a little booklet which explains how easy it is to end the misery of Catarrh, Croup, Sore Throat, Bronchitis and Deafness caused by Catarrh.

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LIVING TOWER IS UNIQUE

Captain Meeker Built It on the Tops of Four Redwood Trees in California.

What is known as the "Living Tower" (says a writer in the Wide World Magazine) stands on the very summit of a hill more than two hundred feet high at Camp Meeker, a summer resort in Sonoma county, California. It was Captain Meeker, an old pioneer, who first conceived the idea of building a tower on the very summit of a high hill near his hotel, and while looking around one day for a suitable site, he found four young redwood trees standing about twelve feet apart, representing a perfect square. The trees were each about one hundred and fifty feet high. Fifty feet of each top was lopped off, and the work of building six stories was then commenced. From top to bottom the Living Tower was one hundred feet high. Each floor is about twelve by twelve feet, and rests on strong timbers, the ends of which are securely attached to the four trees by means of steel cables and bolts. So strongly was every part braced that the whole structure does not move as much as one would naturally suppose, even when rocked by heavy winds. In the building great care was taken by the workmen to cut only the branches growing on the inside of the square, and the trees were not chopped, mutilated, or weakened any more than could possibly be avoided. Leading up from each story are broad stairways, so that one may ascend and descend with ease and perfect safety, while around the edge of each floor are strong railings to prevent accidents. Since this tower was completed, the trees have grown and flourished just as well as before. This living tower is claimed to be the only one of its kind in the world.

GREAT IS THE BUCKWHEAT!

Only Pumpkin Pie May Be Likened to the Tasteful Cereal Cakes, Says Rhapsodist.

This modest flowering plant makes but a poor showing in our annual crop returns—some 10,000,000 bushels, perhaps. As a grain it figures insignificantly, outside of New York and Pennsylvania. But it is to be noted that the honey bee is aware of its peculiar virtue, preferring alone the white clover to the buckwheat blossoms. Farmers who keep beehives know this and plant patches of the grain.

Wise as the bee is the man who awaits the honey from the hive, the flour from the buckwheat; then follows the griddle cake.

Its time is at hand. It goes with sausage or Philadelphia scrapple. There are such distinct American products that one reads with keen sympathy in the latest life of the expatriated genius, Whistler, how he was so devoted to buckwheat cakes that "he insisted almost at the price of friendship that others share his enthusiasm." How could others be expected to do so born outside the buckwheat belt? Wretched, homesick artist.

Other countries are blessed with special foods, from the caviare of Russia to the macaroni of Italy, but they are beyond the pale, pitifully ignorant of what they miss and of what we are about to enjoy. In America there is nothing sectional about the buckwheat cake; it springeth up as a lowly flower, and in the common taste for it, is to be likened only to the unpretentious pumpkin pie.—Philadelphia Press.

Interesting Facts About Oysters.

An oyster is wonderfully prolific. A single oyster in a single season will produce 30,000,000 eggs. If these all survive and in turn had normal families, in a few years many great bodies of water, such as Long Island Sound, Peconic, Gardiners, Narragansett, Great South and Chesapeake bays would become filled up. Navigation would have to be suspended. The oyster shells would form solid land, as do the houses of the coral insects of the South Pacific. But instead of increasing, the destruction of the young oysters by their enemies is so great, together with the depletion of the natural beds by the demand for this delicious food by mankind, that far from increasing, in past years the supply was greatly depleted. In many cases it has threatened to become extinct. This was especially true in Great Britain and some places on the Atlantic coast. In recent years, however, a vast industry has been established for the artificial propagation and cultivation of oysters. Now hundreds of thousands of acres are employed in oyster farming in the great bays and sounds of the Atlantic seaboard. Here oyster farming under from 30 to 60 feet of water is conducted upon an enormous scale, at great expense and labor.

Good Model.

He was somewhat eaten up with a mistaken consciousness of his own importance, and when he was making his great speech in the Muddlecombe mock parliament, he noted that one of the local pressmen appeared to be sketching him. When the "house" adjourned he buttonholed the artist.

"I believe—aw—you were—aw—sketching me; isn't that so—aw?" he inquired.

"That is so," replied the artist.

"Well—aw—would you—aw—tell me what noospaper you—aw—represent—aw?"

"I don't represent any newspaper," answered the artist. "I design comic postcards."—Tidbits.

SMART EVENING COATS

MAGNIFICENCE OF MATERIAL IS UNPRECEDENTED.

Will Last Long, but Are Extremely Costly at the Present Moment—Velvet in Particular Form Is Extremely Popular.

There is always a peculiar seductiveness about a fine wrap, and now this charm is more bewildering than ever, for every point of the elegant garment strives for grace and beauty. As for textures, you can imagine how grand they are when I tell you that some of the more exquisite coatings for evening use are marked as high as forty dollars a yard, while such prices as twenty-five dollars and thirty dollars are as common as if every woman had her pockets lined with gold. However, the fabrics have a lifetime quality, for some are in substantial



silks so interwoven with gold and silver threads as to suggest the absolute defiance of time. For a long period, at least, bits of such materials will endure, and when they are looked at in the years to come everybody will marvel at the magnificence of our time. For, of course, there must be a revulsion of feeling at last, and then we will come down to the most countrified simplicities. The present grandeur is ascribed to the needs of the manufacturers, who, seeing no way of getting women to use more material, have happened upon the lucrative notion of making textures more splendid.

One of the loveliest fabrics for both evening and fine day coats is cut velvet, which is now shown with gauze background, the texture falling as softly as veiling, and yet looking warm and permitting rich fur edges.

But to return to the coat of dinky cut which is so popular now, and which always offers a splendid idea for the top garment of a tailored suit in one fabric; for it is the difference between the coat and skirt materials which makes this model trying to most figures. The style is shown by the figure illustrated, the material being a tan wool ratine and the trimming black panne velvet. As a one-piece dress of black panne is worn with this garment it is here presented in its most aristocratic phase, and the get-up is admirably topped by a very dashing hat of black panne and yellow and black paradise plumes.

Ready made, a coat in this style can be had from fifteen dollars up. Woolly coatings in two colors, wide wale serge coating, wool chevrot, chinchilla, etc., are some of the practical materials. If the garment is to be made at home it can be varied as the type needs, and if the dressmaker wants a very swagger coat cut for a stout suit of corduroy or serge she could do no better than to use this model. If the coat get-up is to be for reception purposes, and there is every chance of its being as well the only garment for the theater, have the coat of velvet and the dress of cloth in the same color. Taupe, in that very smart shade called eclipse, would be a splendid color for it, although many rich shades of plum are equally fashionable.

MARY DEAN.

Smart Street Dresses.

According to the Dry Goods Economist, during the last few weeks metropolitan stores have made a special feature of smart street dresses. The charmuse models have proved the most in demand, but crepe de chine, bengaline and various styles of brocaded silks have been taken up to a considerable extent. For more practical use serge street dresses in plain color or with hairline stripes have sold well. Novelty worsted, sponge, Bedford cord and similar cloths also appear in the simple one-piece dresses which come under the classification of practical models. In some of the woolen materials either silks or chiffons are used in combination, particularly in developing the waist.

TEN YEARS OF ROAD PROGRESS

How Sauk County Farmers Got Out of the Mud.

STICK-TO-IT-IVENESS DID IT.

After Generations of Climbing Through Swamps and Ruts on Market Days Southern Wisconsin Citizens Banded Together and Worked Hard.

For two generations the farmers traveled bad roads in Sauk county, one of the progressive agricultural counties of southern Wisconsin. The second generation and their sons have rebelled and are now conquering the steep, muddy hills and long, sandy stretches, says a writer in the Country Gentleman. From a county with perhaps the poorest roads in the state to a county with an unexcelled system of county highways is the proud achievement of less than ten years.

A definite system of county highways has been established and plans made for their permanent improvement. Five complete road improvement outfits consisting of rock crushers and gasoline road rollers are owned and operated by the county under the direction of the county highway engineer. Wheeled scrapers, road graders and gravel wagons are purchased by the county and furnished to the individual towns for use on large jobs.

A single example of what is being done in this county may serve to spur other counties and communities on in an endeavor to emulate or even surpass the thrifty farmers of Sauk.

The fertile valley of the Honey creek and its tributaries lies in the southern part of this county. Grandfather, father and son living in this valley have been compelled each market day to face the problem of bad roads. Bad roads have meant to them, as they have meant to thousands of other farmers, an inevitable big hill. In the early sixties and seventies, when grandfather raised



SECTION OF THE ROAD ON "BIG HILL," SAUK COUNTY, WIS.

wheat, neighbor helped neighbor to "double up" the big hill. A grade in many places of nearly one to six, or fifteen in a hundred feet, and a sticky, milky red clay have brought many a faithful farm horse to his knees and have sorely tried the patience of the driver.

A narrow road, hemmed in on each side by overhanging trees—on the north side of the hill when winter's snow lingered long into the spring—the state of the big hill was the factor deciding for or against the projected trip to the market town. Conditions slowly changed. The road grader came, and with power furnished by horses or in some cases by a traction engine the hill road was soon widened. Better drainage was provided. Trees were cut away giving the sun and wind an opportunity to dry out the ever present mud.

The rise of the dairy industry, the weekly marketing of hogs, the coming of rural free delivery and the purchase of automobiles have all been factors contributing to a demand for still greater improvement. Even though a hill 223 feet high with a 15 per cent grade in many places interposed itself between the Troy and Honey creek farmers and their market, the stage was at last reached where they could no longer afford to hesitate. Under the splendid leadership of a county highway engineer and with the advice and assistance of the state highway commissioner they resolved to conquer this ancient foe.

A survey showed that much of the grade could be reduced to eight feet or less in a hundred. The roadbed was carefully prepared for the laying of a limestone macadam nine feet wide and from twelve to fifteen inches deep. Four thousand three hundred and thirty-two dollars has been expended in crushing limestone rock, hauling the gravel and in the laying of the macadam limestone on one and a quarter miles of road. Of this sum the town has furnished \$1,700, the county a similar sum and the state \$800. The conquering of the big hill, including grading and macadamizing, has cost about \$4,500 a mile.

Our Holiday Gifts Now on Display

Our store has, in addition to its usual stock, a big assortment of pretty and useful things for the holiday trade, that is unsurpassed in this section. Our store rooms are full to the brim with interesting and appropriate gifts. The prices are right and will meet the wants of all. Among other things are the following:

CHINAWARE
LAMPS
GLASSWARE
CANDIES

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FANCY LINENS
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NECKWEAR

UNDERWEAR
GLOVES
SWEATER COATS
READY MADE CLOTHING

Fine new line of up-to-date HATS just received.

Shoes At The Old Prices

In spite of general raise in price of 10 per cent, the country over, for shoes you can buy them here at the same old price. Make your selection from any of the famous lines, we carry the "W. W. W." the "Freed" or "Bell's".

KLEPPER'S STORE, Arendtsville, Penna.

SCHOOL REPORTS

Records of those present Every Day during the Past Month.

Following is the report of Mt. Pleasant School, Hamiltonban township, for the month ending December 2nd. Number enrolled during month, 13 males, 5 females. Average attendance, males 12, females, 4, total 16. Seven were perfect in attendance during the month. Ollie Kump, Carl Moritz, Earl Moritz, Paul Strasbaugh, Lewis Goddard, Eva Baker and Bernice Strasbaugh. Zella Currans, teacher.

The following is the report of Round Top school, Straban township, for the third month of school ending November 29. Number of pupils enrolled, males 22, females 14 total 36. Average attendance, males 14, females 11, total 25. Those who were present every day during the month were Marion Redding, Carrie Groscost, Bessie Miller, Winifred Seyler, Glenn Saddle, Wilbur Redding, Laurence Heidler, Harry Groscost, Earl Leese, Malcolm Leese. Margaret Howard, teacher.

BLEW UP POLE

Did not Like High Tension Wire Idea.

Evidently determining that a high tension line is not a desirable thing for a mountain section, someone residing along the line which is being built from Security to Thurmont, bored a hole into one of the poles supporting the line, filled it with some explosive and fired it, breaking off the pole.

The line is one which is being erected, and the place selected for the wrecking of the line was on top of South Mountain, and it is hard to determine whether the broken pole is in Washington or Frederick county. The matter has been placed in the hands of State's Attorney Lewis, who will make an investigation.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of F. A. Asper, deceased, desire to express their thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kind assistance during the funeral of the deceased. They also wish to thank the friends and employees for the beautiful flowers presented.—advertisement.

AFTER January first the bricklayers of Gettysburg will charge 35 cents an hour.—advertisement.

SCALDED TO DEATH

Huntington Township Child Scalded to Death.

A very distressing affair occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Baker, residing on the old Pilkington place in Huntington township, on Saturday morning. Mrs. Baker had placed her ten months old baby near the cook stove where a tea kettle was boiling. Another child three years old pushed the kettle over and the boiling water ran down over the baby scalding it to death. The funeral occurred on Tuesday morning with interment at Mt. Holly where the Baker family formerly resided.

SALE REPORT

John Motter Holds Sale in Menallen Township.

The sale of John Motter in Menallen township on Tuesday amounted to \$994.33. Attendance about 300. The highest cow brought \$82.50 and the highest horse \$141. Chickens sold for 15 cents a pound. Albert Slaybaugh, auctioneer; S. B. Gochnaur, clerk.

COMING EVENTS

Coming Entertainments and Happenings in Gettysburg.

Dec. 12—"What Became of Jennie Brice." St. James Chapel.
Dec. 13, 14—Battle Anniversary Commission Meeting.
Dec. 17—Lecture. Prof. Richard S. Kirby. Brua Chapel.

THE last day, Wednesday for recording yellow votes in the \$400 piano contest. Remember Wednesday, December 4th. People's Drug Store.—advertisement.

HAVE that picture taken now, by the Battlefield Photo Co., that you intend for a Christmas gift. We guarantee our work. South Stratton street.—advertisement.

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LOST: black silk crochet bag containing beaded purse. Reward if returned to Times office.—advertisement.



Resenting an Indignity.
"Josiah, what was all that racket in the front hall about?"
"I was kickin' an agent out; that's all."
"What for?"
"Insultin' of me."
"How?"
"Mandy, you know, an' everybody knows, that my motto has always been 'No north, no south, no east, an' no west,' an' that chap knowed it as well as anybody; so why should he—"
"Yes, yes, Josiah, but how did he insult you?"
"He wanted to know if he couldn't sell me a sectional bookcase!"

The Birthday Present.
Big Tim Sullivan was being congratulated by a New York reporter on the superb charity of this annual dinner to 7,000 Bowery men.
"Well," said Mr. Sullivan, modestly, "I confess it's at least a charity that pleases its recipients. It's not like the young woman's birthday present to her beau."
"A young woman, having landed a young man at last, thought she'd give him a birthday present. So she went into a cigar store and said:
"Give me five cents' worth of your very best cigars, please."

Man With the Motor.
"Women do not especially admire handsome men."
"That is true," replied Miss Cayenne. "As I sat on the piazza I saw a number of good-looking, well-dressed youths cut out by a man whom automobile goggles rendered entirely unprepossessing."

LOOK for special vote sale in other part of this paper. People's Drug Store.—advertisement.

HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS

ONCE people gave to their friends and loved ones at Christmas time gifts that were pretty but of no value whatever, things that were nice to look upon but only in the way after the merriment of the Christmas season had passed. This is all changed now and no one cares to receive a gift that cannot be put to some real use. Right here in our store you can find the things which can be used, the things which will please the eye, and the things which will delight your friends when you present them on Christmas morning.

NECKWEAR

What is more delight and satisfaction to the boy, youth and man than a supply of collars and a collection of pretty neckties? The latest shapes in collars and the prettiest ties in town will be found right here. Full line of cuffs.

STOCKINGS

Nothing is more provoking than to find your socks or stockings in holes just when you are in a hurry to dress. Men's, women's and children's stockings here from which to choose. The kind where holes don't come soon.

SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Your father, your husband, your brother would delight in a new suit at Christmas time. You can have them pick what they want and then present it to them Christmas morning. The early buyer has an immense stock from which to choose. If your relatives have already bought their fall and winter suits, how about a warm, good looking, handsome overcoat or raincoat. Prices to suit all.

And there are the young boys in the family—the little codgers. Suits and overcoats that will make them glad not only on Christmas day but throughout the entire winter. Come in and let us show them to you.

HATS

Hats and caps, for men, boys and children. Dress hats and hats for everyday. Wouldn't your boy enjoy a good warm hat for the winter school days.

SHIRTS

Dress shirts and working shirts. The men and boys in the family can't have too many of them. Cheap shirts and higher priced ones for dress.

SWEATERS

Just the thing for the man who must be out these winter days and fine for the boys' school wear and winter sports. Pretty shades.

SHOES

Here is the very thing. And we have in our stock shoes for men, for boys, for women, for girls and for children of all ages. We have the Ralston and Fellowcraft shoes for men—the best shoes sold in Gettysburg. We have fine shoes for women—none better sold in Adams County. We have shoes at lower prices for those who want to pay less and still get good goods. Boys and girls will find here just what they have been thinking about for dress and everyday wear and if it's the little children your thinking about, why, we have shoes for them too.

And what would be wrong with a pair of arctics for the man who has heavy outdoor work; or with rubbers for every member of the family. We have what you want. Come in.

GLOVES

No matter what you buy for the various members of the family you will fail to hit the mark unless gloves are in the list. Kid gloves for dress, woolen gloves for everyday wear and canvas gloves for rough work. Prices to suit all.

OTHER USEFUL ARTICLES

Bedroom slippers come in fine during the winter months. Pretty handkerchiefs make fine gifts. Umbrellas are always acceptable. Good and comfortable knit mufflers. Many other things.

Corner Square and Carlisle Street.

O. H. LESTZ

Gettysburg, Pa.

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THE LEADERS

COAT SUIT NEWS

At the threshold of Winter we offer Forty-Five Coat Suits--of this seasons smartest styles--much under value. The reason for these prices is that we cannot re-order any of these styles with any assurance of getting them--READ ON

Fifteen Women and Misses can buy a Suit

made this season—some only two weeks old in our stock. Variety of materials, Serges, Chevots, Whipcords, Manish Effects &c., only one or two of any material or color—variety of sizes and styles—elegant tailoring and linings. Made to sell at \$20.00 and \$22.50

Now \$17.50

Twenty Spring Suits

left from Spring of 1912—styles mostly plain and very similar to those of Fall 1912—Serges and other splendid wearing materials—sold at \$20.00 to \$25.00

Now \$8.00

Eleven Women and Misses can have SUITS made to sell at \$12.50 and \$15.00.

Now \$10.50

Junior Misses Coats 13, 15, 17 Years

Sizes that fit Small Women as well as the Juniors

\$8.00 and \$7.50 Values Variety of cloths and colors, all with fancy collars. Stylish as anything we have shown this season, Now \$6.00

\$12.00 and \$10.50 Values Grey Zyalines and Fancy Tan cloths, &c. Now \$8.00

\$6.00 Value Navy and Fancy Chevots, as carefully made as the higher priced, Now \$4.75

We have a few Silk Dresses left from brisk selling that we want to close out at once—hence the loss.

\$16.00 and \$18.00 Values Charmeuse and Crepe Meteor (descriptions given on same last week) colors are Navy, Taupe and Black Now \$12.50

SERGE DRESSES, ONLY A FEW LEFT BUT EXCELLENT BARGAINS

\$9.50 and \$10 Values, colors are Myrde, Navy, Black, Tan, Now \$7.75

\$7.50 Value Black Serge, NOW \$6.00

MISSES and CHILDREN'S COATS, cannot give Details here but PRICES are MARKED TO GIVE REAL BARGAINS

Newest of This Season's Styles

with all the little touches of fine tailoring. Materials are Black, and Navy Serge—in plain and shadow stripe, Navy Chevots &c.—sizes 16 to 43.

Seven Women and Misses can have a

Suit of Mannish Cloth, Black and Navy Serge, handsome tailoring elegant styles in Norfolk, cut-away and straight cut—splendid materials and linings. Sizes 14 to 43—made to sell this season at \$18.00 and \$19.00

Now \$12.50

Seven Women or Misses can buy a Suit of Boucle

Wide Wale Bedford, Wide Wale Serge or Whipcord—made to sell at \$25.00 and \$27.00—highest grade of suits in quality and style of materials we sell

Now \$19.75

Coats

\$18.00 and \$16.00 Values—Chinchillas, Diagonal Chevots, Kerseys &c.—in variety of colors—such as Navy, Brown, Oxford, Black &c.—A few of the lot are \$18.00 quality of "Wooltex" Fancy colored back clothes

Now \$12.50

...\$14.00 and \$15.00 Values—Cloths of Mixed Chevots in Brown and tan, Serges and Chinchillas in Navy, Grey and Brown, and Black Kerseys. In this lot many of the cloths are plaid backs—Most excellent styles

Now \$10.00

\$7.50 and \$8.50 Values—Cheviot Serges, Navy Chincilla with Navy and Oxford collars—Oxford Chinchillas with Navy collars—A very nice line and variety

Now \$6.50

HERE IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR

MONEY SAVING

in coat buying a month sooner than usual. For the same reason as that given for Suits—sizes are broken—Manufacturers are out of cloths, and we therefore cannot duplicate what we have. Styles are up-to-the-minute almost—Splendid materials and tailored by men tailors—No "Sweat Shop" work.

Coats

...\$27.50 and \$30.00 Values—Navy Boucle, large muffler collar, deep cuffs—size 38. Handsome Black Kersey, Semi-fitting, satin lined—size 39. Imitation Persian Lamb, shawl collar, large handsome frog closing, guaranteed satin lining—size 38

Now \$21.50

\$25.00 and \$22.50 Values—"Wooltex" plaid back Zyaline, Chinchilla and other cloths—about eight garments—no two alike in color or style. These goods came in late and were marked in our stock \$21.00

Now \$18.50

\$19.00 and \$18.00 Values—Cloths are Chinchilla with different color collars and cuffs—Diagonal Chevots in Navy, Brown, Grey and Mixtures—no two alike

Now \$15.50

\$10.00 and \$11.00 Values—Of Boucle, several colors Chincilla, Mixed Serges in Grey and Tan—a large line to select from

Now \$8